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CITY BOYS BEST?

COUNTRY BOYS NOT DEVELOPED, SAYS ATHLETIC DIRECTOR.

ALL ARMS AND BACKS

Injured by Hard Work in Youth, With No Chance for Physical Training, Are Not Evenly Developed.

The "Apollo" in the following write up sent out from Columbia, once worked in Hopkins, being employed by George Fred Davis some two or three years ago, when Mr. Davis was in the dairy business says the Hopkins Journal. Shrader was quite popular, and the following will be of interest to his many friends in Hopkins.

The nearest perfect man physically among the 1,500 students at the University of Missouri is a city boy, according to a series of examinations made by the athletic authorities. He is Harlan Loy Shrader, a student in the college of agriculture and the son of a Kansas City minister.

"For his size, he is an ideal man and is more perfectly proportioned and symmetrical than any other man I have ever examined" says O. F. Field, physical instructor, who has tested every student enrolled in the department of physical education.

This near Apollo, according to Prof. Field, has a posture exceptionally good, excellent blood circulation and also fine lungs and muscular development. Since he enrolled at the university he has not donned a football uniform, a track suit or base ball togs. He has confined his exercise to gymnastic work.

Shrader is 23 years old and weighs 151 pounds. He is 5 feet 8 inches tall. He began gymnastic work at school in Kansas City when he was 15 years old. He was out of school two years, so that, in all, he has had six years of gymnastic work.

Previous to the discovery of the near perfection of this city boy Prof. Field had found a marked superiority in the physical development of the city boys over those from the farm at the university. In regard to this difference Prof. Field says:

"There is a marked physical difference in the city lad and the farmer boy. The country boy is strong at lifting with his back and arms, but he is sadly lacking in the co-ordination of muscles which is much better developed in the city lads. It is merely in the back and arms that the farmer boy shows any physical superiority over the city boy.

"The country boy excels the city boy in the "dips"—pushing up. There is not much difference in the heart action except the country youth has a slower beat. He lacks the vigor so necessary in all walks of life, especially in athletics.

"The country boy is poor in posture. He rarely stands straight and, if you ask him to he rarely ever knows how. He lacks the proper control of the muscles and also the knowledge of the fundamental facts in physical education. The inability to stand straight is due many times to the curvature of the spine, due to hard work in early boyhood.

"Under the present conditions the country boy lacks the initiative. They also lack confidence in themselves. The city boy gains confidence by training. The rural lad is just as healthy as the town boy, but he cannot rank in physical competition with the city boy.

"The boy from the country is usually round shouldered and flat chested. The city boy usually is trained in some degree in athletics and, consequently, when he comes here he is well developed physically. The farmer boy who has never had a chance comes here with brute strength in his back and arm muscles. Thus he is awkward and cannot hope to become as nearly the perfect man as the city boy."

A remarkable thing about Shrader is that one side is almost the counterpart of the other. His right arm is practically the same size as his left from every angle of measurement. The only differences are one-tenth of an inch between his right and left hand and three-tenths between the muscles, contracted, of his upper arms. This condition, according to Chester L. Brewer, physical director, is exceedingly rare.

Shrader's measurements that approach perfection:

Girths—Head, 22.2; neck, 14.6; chest, forced inspiration, 39.5; chest, normal, 37, chest forced expiration, 35; waist, 29.5; hips, 37.5; right thigh, 22; right knee, 14.5; right calf, 14; right ankle, 8.2; left leg, the same; right hand, 8.5; left hand, 8.4; right arm, contracted, 13.3; upper arm, normal, 11.4; right elbow, 10.3; right forearm, 10.9; right wrist, 6.4; left arm, the same, with the exception of the upper arm, contracted, which is 13 inches, or three-parts of an inch less than the girth of the right arm.

Depths—Chest, forced inspiration, 20.5; chest, forced expiration, 18.5; waist, 18.2; length of legs, 32.

Breadths—Chest forced inspiration, 11.1; forced expiration, 10.3; hips, 13.1; arms, tip to tip, 70.25.

TO LECTURE HERE.

Rev. Henry M. Baker of Hopkins to Give Address at Christian Church on Friday Evening.

Rev. Henry M. Baker of the Christian church of Hopkins is to give a lecture in Maryville on Friday evening at 8 o'clock at the First Christian church, under the auspices of the Endeavor society. Rev. Baker's subject will be "Among the Mysterious." The admittance fee will be 25 and 15 cents.

Rev. Baker will also give an address to the high school students at assembly hour Friday morning, and will also talk to the Normal students at the chapel hour.

SOLD TO DR. POLLARD.

Dr. J. A. Larrabee of Barnard Has Disposed of His Practice for Special Study in Kansas City.

Dr. J. A. Larrabee of Barnard has disposed of his practice to Dr. D. A. Pollard of that place, who had about completed arrangements for his removal to Guilford, and will go to Kansas City for special study and hospital practice. Dr. Larrabee, we understand, will spend one or two days of each week in Barnard to care for some special cases he has. The business deal between the physicians will take effect March 1st.

BARNARD.

The city library committee met Monday evening to plan for the purchasing of new bookcases. Every indication is that the library plan is going to work O. K.

Rev. Royston is back from Oklahoma and has thrown away his crutches. He is now able to go about his work again and will preach in Barnard Sunday, both morning and evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Rasco gave a social at their home for several of the young people Thursday evening. There were seventeen present, and popcorn and taffy pulling was the order of the evening. Everyone reported a good time.

Mr. John A. Field had a stock sale Tuesday at his farm, southwest of town. The Ladies' Aid society of the M. E. church served the lunch and made $20.

Mr. F. H. Badger has purchased a piece of property in the northwest part of town and will move into it soon.

Mr. Charles Humberd has sold his team and is now depending upon the livery stable for horses to do Uncle Sam's business.

Isaac Price, who is almost 99 years of age, is reported very poorly at this time.

The Sunday schools at Barnard are having a time discussing Noah and his ark. They have been trying to find the Scriptural proof for every piece of material used in connection with the ark.

On Three Month's Trip to Idaho.

Mrs. Charles Daggett and two little children left Thursday morning for a three months' visit with Mr. Daggett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Daggett, at Coeur d'Alene, Idaho. The Doggett family left Maryville six years ago and located in Coeur d'Alene. Charles Daggett is a barber of this city.

Was a Good Sale.

The public sale of George B. Baker & Co., held on the Baker farm Wednesday, was a good one and good prices were received for the stock and other articles sold. The top price received on cattle was one cow which brought $82. R. P. Hosmer was the auctioneer.

Visited Sick Sister.

Mrs. P. L. Chaney of Osceola, Mo., who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. T. Hays, left for her home Thursday morning. Mrs. Hays has been ill for some time, and although considerably improved, requires the care of a trained nurse.

Returned to Topeka.

Mrs. A. T. Potts returned to her home in Topeka, Kan., Thursday morning from a few days' visit with Mrs. Nora Willits, who is very ill. Mrs. Potts stopped in Maryville on her way home from a visit to her mother in Washington, Ind.

Here on Shopping Tour.

Sister Aloysia, Sister Mildred, Sister Gerarda, Sister Ramana, Sister Techala of St. Benedictine convent of Clyde and Miss Teresa Conway and Miss Agnes Droste, students of St. Joseph's academy at Clyde were shopping in Maryville Thursday.

Mrs. W. G. Murray accompanied her daughter, Mrs. W. B. Hoskins, to her home in St. Joseph Thursday morning to spend the remainder of the winter.

Mrs. B. T. Ferguson of Burlington Junction was in Maryville Thursday on

Latest Postcards 1 cent each at Crane's

WORK AS A UNIT

INCORPORATION JOINS GROUP OF INDIVIDUALS IN COMPACT BODY.

FOR A BETTER SERVICE

Other Towns Have Heard and Heeded the Demand and J. R. Evans Asks That Maryville Be Not Behind.

Editor Democrat-Forum:—In discussing this subject I will take up the negative side first, as there is so little argument for it, and it can be so easily disposed of. The main arguments advanced against incorporation are: The expense of incorporating and the taxation levied on an incorporation.

In regard to the first, the expense of having a corporation of $10,000.00 recorded is $50.00 and $10.00 for each succeeding $10,000.00 plus an attorney's fee. We would need to incorporate for about $10 000.00 and allowing a reasonable sum to an attorney, it would cost not to exceed $75.00, probably less, or about 11 cents per phone.

The second objection, taxation, is of about as little consequence as the cost of incorporation. In assessing corporations in this state, the corporation is listed at one-fourth of its valuation, and the taxes are $3.48 per hundred dollars, or in plain language, it would cost us in taxes from 10 cents to 15 cents per phone, per year. This expense plus the expense of incorporating would be about 25 cents per phone for the first year and 10 cents to 15 cents per phone in succeeding years. These are the arguments against incorporation in a nut shell.

When we turn to the reasons why we should incorporate we find a number of very important ones.

First—Incorporation is th means provided by the laws of our state by which a group of individuals may be so bound and associated together that their actions and strength is as though they were a unit. Any and all obligations of the corporation will fall equally upon the share holders or in proportion to the number of shares that the individual may hold. In a company such as we now are, instead of each phone holder being equally responsible for the obligations of the company, a few individuals, possibly the board of directors, are held personally responsible for such obligations. In case of a big damage suit, which might occur at any time, the board, or possibly a few of the wealthy patrons could be compelled to become the defendants, instead of each and every patron bearing his portion of the load. It is manifestly unfair, in a mutual company, at least, where no one receives any benefit more than another, to ask a few members to carry the risk which should fall upon each one alike.

Then in regard to service. We find that as our system becomes older and larger its management becomes more complex. There is a demand for a better and more prompt service. More lines connecting our board with surrounding towns are required, the patrons' lines and phones must be kept in repair. Thus it is self-evident that the organization should be in a position to take action without delay, to be responsible for its actions, and to move as a unit. This can only be accomplished when we are bound together in a lawful manner. When improvements can be undertaken, and expenses incurred without too much personal responsibility. Incorporation is the only solution.

We come to the most important reason as to why we should incorporate when we consider our future. The fact that we have 700 mutual phones in and surrounding Maryville and about 4,000 in Nodaway county is sufficient evidence of the demand for our system. But how will it be in the future? We are not bound together as a unit, but are as so many separate parts, having agreed for the present to work together. There is nothing to prevent the organization, any day, from going to pieces, in fact any serious trouble might, and probably would leave us entirely disorganized and without a phone. Hence it becomes imperative that we take steps to insure our continuation and permanency.

Under incorporation the cost of service will be no greater than at present, except as better service is given; and in any case the cost will be no greater than is absolutely required to give good telephone service, the thing which is being demanded more and more by nearly everyone at the present time.

The demand is for a better service. Skidmore has heard it, Graham and Maitland have heard it. The other towns are waking up. Shall Maryville, the hub for the bug-a-boo of about 25 cents per phone, go on as we now are, with poor service, due to lines being down, phones out of repair, weak batteries, etc. An insufficient number of connecting wires, (in some instances none) personal responsibility, and a loose organization liable to go to pieces at any time?

Let us all get together the 15th of February, 1913, and vote, unanimously, to incorporate and thus close the chapter of incompetency and begin a period of greater usefulness for our Mutual telephone system.

J. R. EVANS.

Secretary of the Board of Directors of the Maryville line.

What Happened 43 Years Ago

Interesting Items Taken From The Democrat Files.

Home Enterprise and Progress—It is refreshing once in a while to turn from the sickening spectacle presented by the gangrenous monstrosity which radicalism has made of American politics, and survey the progress which our noble old county is making in wealth, enterprise and enlightenment in spite of all the drawbacks which the ruling party has placed upon improvement and advancement in all parts of the west.

Within the last twelve months we have seen a railroad, the first within our county, pushed to our geographical and commercial center, the city of Maryville. We have seen our agricultural products nearly doubled over those of any previous year. We have seen our population increased forty per cent. We have seen fifteen or twenty new and improved school buildings and churches erected in various parts of the county. We have seen upwards of fifty thousand acres of wild land, for centuries heretofore the stamping ground of the buffalo, the elk, deer, wolf, and the wild savage, improved and brought into cultivation and made to teem with the productions of civilization. * * * Yet, with all our progress we have not improved all our opportunities for further advancement. We have defeated a great proposition for internal improvement. * * * * We have yet unbounded confidence that our county will encourage the building of the two great lines of railroad that are presenting their claims to us.

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Some of the firms advertising were: J. R. Ford and J. E. Alexander, groceries, boots and shoes; J. M. Black, patent building paper; Leeber & Michau, dealers in dry goods and groceries; Crane & Hastings, books and stationery; C. Baker, groceries; Wright & Jones, staple and fancy dry goods, groceries, etc.; Kuenster & Kraen, clothing; Kelley & Graves, saddles and harness; Beard, Hudson & Co., hardware; H. A. Avery, farm wagons, etc.; Mulholland, Ellis & Co., drugs; Mrs. Mollie J. Blair, millinery and fancy goods, L. C. Evans & Co., grocers and provision dealers; De Leuws, drug store; Chicago Lumber yard, J. C. Waterman & Co.; Garrett & Robinson, hardware; Ben Torrance, groceries; Rush's Emporium, shoes and boots.

Returning to Lamar.

Miss Anna Byrnes left for Lamar, Mo., Thursday morning to resume her millinery business there, after a several weeks' visit in Maryville with her sister, Mrs. Aaron Felix. Miss Byrnes accompanied Miss Ella Roney to Kansas City and will spend a few days there before going to Lamar.

Fr. Placidas a Notary Public.

Fr. Placidas of the Conception Abbey is a notary public, his commission arriving in Maryville Thursday from Jefferson City. The commission was issued by Gov. Elliott W. Major. Joseph R. Allen of this city was also commissioned a notary public.

Miss Edith Cunningham and Miss Nina Cunningham of Fairfax were in Maryville Thursday on their way to Hopkins to visit Frank Knowles and family.

On and after Feb. the 15th We Will Sell for CASH O... Those owing us w... and settle. H. F...

Alderman Dry Goods Co. ... WEST THIRD STREET ... MARYVILLE, MO

ANNUAL ...ant Sale

The major... have been rather ab... chores! In the morni... the soul of childhood lie... ...nday and the clear, expectant ...y. ...out till supper, from... Three. ...something more ...

HOW IT STARTED

THE BEGINNING OF THE COUNTY ADVISOR MOVEMENT.

WORKING ORGANIZATION

A Council of One Man From Each Township and Sub-Council With Men From School Districts.

Since Nodaway county is thinking somewhat of employing a county advisor, an article written by S. M. Jordan, the advisor of Pettis county on how the plan started in that county, the first county to have an advisor in the state, might be of interest to our readers. Mr. Jordan says:

"Some time in March, 1912, perhaps, we were holding an institute in Sedalia, and the president and secretary of the Sedalia Boosters' club were present and listened to the addresses and were especially impressed at the questions asked by the farmers and their anxiety for information. On returning to the club rooms they concluded that "Pettis county needs these men, not for a day or two in the year, but we need them all the year."

"As a result of this conclusion they called the writer and asked him to come up to the club rooms, and in a short time the objects of the "call" were made known, and they asked me if I would consider a proposition to put my entire time in Pettis county, to which I made reply that I would think it over. I made a hurried survey of the possibilities of what a person in such a position may do, and of its ultimate results, and knowing of nation wide movement in this same direction, I gave a tentative proposition, which they accepted. A subscription list was started. I cautioned these men to know they were taking entirely legal steps, as no complications were desired. The movement was new, was costing a little money, hence there will be some who will not approve, so we must be on the safe side. The Nelson law, section 701-6, Revised Statutes of Missouri, 1899, seemed to give full authority for the county court to help in paying the salary, so $1,500 was appropriated by the court. The city school board was called together and that body gave $600 in consideration of weekly lectures to the high school, and $900 was raised by private subscription from farmers and business men.

"In addition to the $3,000 a year, an office is furnished, together with stenographic help, stationery, postage, etc. This was done without any outside aid.

"Mr. Bert Ball, secretary of the crop improvement committee of the American grain exchange in Chicago, offered to give our fund $1,000, and the gift was accepted. Subsequent to this we made up our minds that much more good could be done by entering into a fuller co-operation with the department of agriculture of the University of Missouri, and with the national government, and under the plans of the university the state will pay one-fourth of the county advisor's salary, so this puts $750 a year in our fund.

"It was concluded to form an organization, to be incorporated under the name of the Pettis county bureau of agriculture. The working force of the bureau is designated as the advisory council, and is composed of two representatives from each of the seventeen townships of the county and six additional officers; as a sub-council there are appointed three members in each school district, whose duties will be to aid in carrying out the plans of the advisory council. This advisory council meets at the court house on the last Saturday of each month for the transaction of such business as may be presented. The suggestion is here offered that behind each one of these county bureaus or organizations the commercial club or some similar body get behind the movement and so remain as an impelling force and for counsel."

Returned From Funeral.

Mrs. Emma Cloud, Mrs. H. E. Young of Kansas City Mrs. C. A. Ramsay of Peetz, Col.; Mrs. Marshall Davis of St. Joseph and Mrs. Charles Carter of Albany have returned to Maryville from Clearmont, where they attended the funeral services on Wednesday afternoon of Mrs. Elizabeth Wallace. The funeral services were to have been held Tuesday afternoon, but were delayed because Mrs. Ramsay failed to receive the message of her mother's death in time to reach Clearmont before Wednesday. Mrs. Young expects to return home Friday, while Mrs. Carter and Mrs. Davis returned Thursday evening.

Visiting in St. Joseph.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward M. Walker went to St. Joseph Thursday for a short visit with Mr. Walker's sister, Mrs. Lewis C. Allen, and family. Mr. Walker will also invest in some stock for the farm.

HOUSE DESTROYED BY FIRE.

Residence of E. Everist, Living Three Miles Northwest of Maryville, Burned to the Ground.

The seven-room farm house of E. Everist, living three miles northwest of Maryville, was totally destroyed by fire about 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. It is thought the fire started from a defective flue. About half of the household goods was also burned. There was no insurance on the dwelling.

ISSUED LICENSE TO KANE.

Court Gave Dramshop License for Another Period of Six Months.

The county court issued Thursday morning a saloon license to John Kane for a period of six months. The saloon petition had the required number of signers and it was imperative on the court to issue the license.

HOPKINS.

Mrs. Andrew Mosley and Mrs. Osmond Mosley left last Saturday for Chicago, where the former will remain indefinitely to visit her brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Skinner of Bedford returned home Saturday noon after a visit with Ira Rankin and family.

Harmon McMaster and wife returned Saturday noon from a visit in Maryville.

Judge Sayler of Maryville was in Hopkins last week on business.

Rolla Fleming is now assistant operator at the depot.

Mr. and Mrs. Sol Newmeyer went to Bolckow last week for a visit with Mr. Newmeyer's niece.

Miss Lois Remington was a Bedford visitor last week.

The Misses Hayes are here from Essex, Ia., for a visit with their parents. They will go from here to St. Joseph to the millinery wholesale house.

Mr. McCleve and son Ed, Ira Gray, Joe Andrews and a number of other men attended the horse sale at Bedford.

Misses Bess Burch, Chloe Jeffers and Della Nash were Bedford visitors last Saturday between trains.

James Applegate and wife of Omaha visited here a few days last week. They came to see Mr. Applegate's sister, Mrs. Jess Melick, who is very sick with tuberculosis.

Mr. Cook of the Maryville Business college was in Hopkins on business last Saturday.

Mr. C. A. Wolfers and daughter and Mrs. Roy Wolfers were Hopkins visitors Monday afternoon.

Mrs. William Bram was called to Colorado Springs last Monday by the illness of Mrs. Cliff Goodson. Mrs. Goodson was operated on Monday for appendicitis.

The Starland theater will give a special program Friday night, all receipts to be given to Mrs. Connett, the blind lady. Saturday night the Temple theater will give a benefit performance.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Mutti returned Friday night from a visit with relatives in California, Mo.

Mrs. S. J. Yeomans returned Monday from a visit with her son Fred of Maryville.

J. B. Thompson of Bedford came down to see his new grandson Tuesday morning.

Miss Della Nash, Bess Burch and Chloe Jeffers were Maryville visitors Saturday evening.

Guy Crossan of Waterloo, Ia., is here visiting his sister, Mrs. Wid Holmes.

Mrs. Arthur Ditto is here from Maryville visiting old friends.

Dick Livasy is visiting his brother Lew at St. Joseph.

The Art club met last week with Mrs. Fred Monroe, and a large number of the members were present. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Wolfers entertained the Whist club last week. A most enjoyable evening was spent.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McMaster entertained Misses Lou Hughes, Cleo Kime and Edna Bonewitz and Messrs. Ted and Charles Jackson and E. C. Apple at dinner Sunday. A very enjoyable time is reported.

Miss Jennie Hibbert Claver died at the home of her step-father, J. M. Claver, Monday morning, after nineteen years of sickness and suffering. At the age of 6 years she fell from a building and remained an invalid till the time of her death. She was educated in a convent and skilled in the finest needlework. This fall she made handbags of beads and muskmelon seeds, and almost endless task, and assisted in supporting herself by her work. Rev. Baker of the Christian church had charge of the services, which were held at the late home. Interment in Hopkins cemetery.

The Toggery Team Won.

The Toggery shop team won two games out of three from the Regulars Wednesday night at the Veo alleys. Sheldon had high ... for the three games score of 181 ... play the ... night.

BOARD ALL RIGHT

LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE SAY CHARGES ARE UNFOUNDED.

HENS CAN GO ON LAYING

Secretary Quisenberry and Poultry Board Exonerated by Committee of Which Craig Was Head.

The investigation carried on by a joint committee from the house and senate at Jefferson City in regard to charges against the state poultry board and its secretary, T. E. Quisenberry, found that they are totally unwarranted.

Senator Anderson Craig, who was chairman of the committee, in writing to The Democrat-Forum today, says:

"The letters that have come to me indicate that a number of Nodaway county people are much interested in the investigation of the poultry board management. The enclosed report was adopted by a unanimous vote.:

"'We, the joint committee of the senate and the house of representatives on agriculture, to which was referred a resolution preferring charges against the state poultry board and its secretary, T. E. Quisenberry, beg leave to report that we have fully investigated the same and find that they are totally unwarranted in fact, and fully exonerate the board and its secretary of such charges and heartily commend the efficient manner in which Mr. Quisenberry has conducted the affairs under his charge.

"'Respectfully submitted.

"'ANDERSON CRAIG,

"'Chairman.'"

IMPROVING THE DEPOT.

Station House at Clyde is Being Made More Presentable These Days With Paint and Such.

A new roof is being placed on the Wabash railway's passenger depot at Clyde, also new doors and windows, and a coat of paint all around, that makes everything look decidedly well. This is now one of the best points on the road for a good many miles, with the daily output of grain shipments from the hardware firm of Graham & Proctor and the daily receipt of a carload of building material for the new St. Joseph's academy at St. Benedictine convent at Clyde.

The foundation for this new school building was finished last fall and the work will be resumed as soon as good weather opens up in the spring. All the material is being assembled now so that the work cannot be hindered, when once begun, by lack of materials, as often happens in putting up a big building. The new school building will be three stories high and covers a ground space of 80x180 feet. The old building will be torn down. The new building will greatly enhance the property of St. Benedictine convent.

Death of Baby at Quitman.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Barnes of Kansas City are bereaved in the death of their 3 weeks old daughter, Beatrice Lillie, which occurred at Quitman Wednesday night. Mr. and Mrs. Barnes were called to Quitman a few days ago by the serious illness of Mr. Barnes' father, William Barnes. The funeral arrangements have not yet been made.

Kansas City Guest Leaves.

Mrs. W. R. Hall of Kansas City, who has been the guest of Mrs. Cleve Moyer a few days, went to Stanberry Thursday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Staley.

Lawrence Cummins was in Elmo Wednesday.

THE WEATHER

Generally fair tonight ... warmer tonight.

Do You Wear Glasses?

IF SO are you satisfied that they have been fitted to your eyes in a correct and proper manner?

HAVE THEY GIVEN YOUR EYES that relief which you expected they would?

ARE YOUR EYE MUSCLES following their natural lines as they should do with correctly ... Glasses?

WOULD ... ION? ... ly. FR ... M ... ha...

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Township Collector.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for nomination for TOWNSHIP COLLECTOR, subject to the action of the Democratic township nominating convention.
MARION F. SMITH.

We are authorized to announce F. S. GRUNDY as a candidate for the nomination for Township Collector, subject to the action of the Democratic township nominating convention.

We are authorized to announce FRANK BOLIN as a candidate for the nomination for Township Collector subject to the action of the Democratic nominating convention.

White Cloud Township.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for tax collector of White Cloud township, subject to the decision of the Democratic township nominating convention. S. B. WILLIAMS.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for tax collector of White Cloud township, subject to the decision of the Democratic township nominating convention. RUFUS CAREY.

Today's Markets

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.
Cattle—6,000. Market steady. Estimate tomorrow, 2,000.
Hogs—27,000. Market a big 5 to 10c lower; top, $7.85. Estimate tomorrow, 25,000.
Sheep—12,000. Market 10c higher.

KANSAS CITY.
Cattle—2,500. Market steady.
Hogs—9,000. Market a big 5c lower; top, $7.60.
Sheep—4,000. Market 10c higher.

ST. JOSEPH.
Cattle—1,600. Market steady.
Hogs—10,000. Market a big 5 to 10c lower; top, $7.60.
Sheep—4,000. Market 10c higher.

Amoma Class Market Saturday.

The Amoma class of the First Baptist church Sunday school will hold a market at Price & McNeal's store all day Saturday. There will be lots of good things to eat for your Sunday dinner, and there will be some articles of fancy work for sale, too. 6-7

Selected on Visiting Committee.

R. Bruce Montgomery was appointed chairman of the visiting committee of the Owls to take the place of W. A. Miller, who resigned.

Miss Blanche Moore went to St. Joseph Thursday to visit friends until Friday.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.
NAT. BANK OF COMMERCE, Toledo, Ohio.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

News of Society and Womens' Clubs

P. E. O. Meeting Saturday.

The P. E. O. chapter will meet Saturday afternoon at the home of Miss Mary Evans instead of Mrs. C. C. Corwin, as announced in the year book.

Married by Rev. Cox.

Joseph Cooper and Miss Mary Hargin of Conway, Ia., were married at 6 o'clock Wednesday evening by Rev. Gilbert S. Cox pastor of the First M. E. church of this city, at the parsonage.

Married in Savannah.

Mrs. Maggie Walts of Guilford and A. W. Kennedy of St. Joseph were united in marriage Thursday in Savannah. They will make their home in St. Joseph. The bridegroom is a retired farmer. The bride is the widow of the late J. H. Walts, who was a poultry dealer of Guilford.

Married at the Linville.

Miss Mary VanFossen of Barnard and Mr. Frank Anderson of Guilford were united in marriage Thursday afternoon in the Linville hotel parlors, the Rev. J. D. Randolph performing the ceremony. Both young people are well known in the Barnard vicinity and are highly esteemed. They will live on a farm east of Barnard. The young couple were accompanied by Miss Golda Adcock.

The Hum Drums Ate Waffles.

Miss Mildred Robinson entertained the girls of the Hum Drum club at a waffle supper Wednesday evening. The Hum Drums have had nearly every kind of a dinner and supper and breakfast in the catalogue yet, but the hostess has the honor of serving the first waffle supper. After supper the club held a real business meeting of such import that nobody knows what it was about so far. To relieve themselves of the severe tension Miss Robinson escorted her guests to the picture show at the Empire.

Married at Grand Island.

The following clipping from the Daily Independent of Grand Island, Neb., appeared in its issue of Friday, January 31, gives the date of the marriage of Miss Helen Ford and Mr. Glade Bradley of Maryville, who left Maryville last Thursday for Grand Island, and will be of interest to the friends of the young couple in this city.

"Glade T. Bradley and Miss Helen Ford, both of Maryville, Mo., secured a marriage license early this morning and were married by Rev. J. R. Gettys at the First M. E. church parsonage. They plan to make their home in this city."

Program for C. W. B. M.

The C. W. B. M. of the First Christian church will meet Friday afternoon in the church parlors. The devotions will be led by Mrs. C. B. Roberts, who will lead the afternoon study of "Missionary Books and Literature." The following is the program:

"The Value of Missionary Stories and Books," Mrs. J. W. Ray and Mrs. R. E. Snodgrass.

"The Value of Missionary Literature," by Mrs. R. L. McDougal.

"The Book of Books," by Mrs. James B. Robinson.

"Book Review," by Mrs. C. J. Miller.

Sketch of life of Judson, by Mrs. Henry Pierpoint.

Sketch of life of Robert Moffitt, by Mrs. McDougal.

Sketch of life of John Paton, by Mrs. A. C. Hopkins.

"Hidden Answers," by Mrs. A. T. Fisher.

Roll call, name some missionary book.

Business session.

DR. A. T. FISHER
Chronic Diseases. Eye Diseases
Pterygium, Cataract, Spectacles
Maryville Nat'l Bank Bldg.
MARYVILLE, MO.

Little Dan Mowrey, the 6-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Womrey of Graham, is very sick.

CITIES WANT UTILITY BILL

State Commission Demanded by the Public, Atkinson Says.

LAST PUBLIC HEARING ON BILL

Jefferson City, Feb. 6.—A demand was coming from nearly every city, large or small, in Missouri, for the passage of the public service commission bill, John M. Atkinson, private secretary to Governor Major, told a joint meeting of the house and senate committees. The cities, Atkinson said, had found themselves powerless to regulate their utility corporations through local commissions and now wanted a state commission with a strong corps of technical experts and powers to enforce its findings. The city commissions, he said, had been failures.

The administration utilities bill, he said, would abolish any local commissions that might now exist in the state. General Atkinson said an elective commission had not proved a success in other states.

The meeting was the last public hearing on the bill. The house and senate committees have appointed a subcommittee to go over a number of minor amendments submitted by the railroads. It is expected the committees will report the bill early next week.

BORN TO WED EACH OTHER

Two St. Louis Babies Will Be Reared in Betrothal.

St. Louis, Feb. 6.—Miss Clara Carter Mallett, five days old, and Mallett Carter, the same age, were betrothed the day they were born, but haven't found it out yet. The Carter and Mallett families reside in a flat in East St. Louis, the Carters occupying the upstairs apartment and the Malletts the lower one.

The stork brought a boy to the Carter household. Four hours later the bird returned with a daughter for Mr. and Mrs. Mallett. The parents had planned that if a boy came to one home and a girl to the other the children would be betrothed. Both couples are Americans and believe by close association their young heirs will form a fondness which will unite the families.

"DR. F. W. LANOIX" GUILTY

Three to Five Years in Prison for Killing a Woman, Jury Says.

Kansas City, Feb. 6.—Five minutes was all the time required by a Wyandotte county district court jury to decide that J. M. Martin, alias Dr. F. W. Lanoix, was guilty of second degree manslaughter for the death of Mrs. Florence May Crowley. The jury was unanimous on the first ballot. The penalty for that offense is three to five years. "Lanoix" performed a criminal surgical operation on Mrs. Crowley on the Kansas side Oct. 28 of last year. She died nine days later.

Hecker Repeats Statement.

Denver, Feb. 6.—"Twenty women to one man in Denver drink intoxicating liquor and they drink more than men."

This was the statement made on the floor of the Colorado senate by Senator John Hecker of Denver. It followed a vigorous attack by Mrs. Helen Ring Robinson, Colorado's first woman senator, upon a statement published in a Washington newspaper and attributed to Hecker, to the effect that "women in Denver drink more highballs than men."

Senator Robinson denounced the quoted statement as an insult to the women of Colorado and threatened to move the expulsion of Hecker from the senate if it should be repeated.

Wilson Will Visit St. Louis in April.

St. Louis, Feb. 6.—President elect Wilson, in a letter to David R. Francis, president of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition company, has indicated that he will attend the dedication of the Jefferson memorial here April 20. "It would be a great loss to me if I could not be present," he said. "It would be almost a duty for a Democratic president to take part in such exercises."

Fined for Watering Milk.

St. Joseph, Mo., Feb. 6.—The campaign by the board of health for a better milk supply resulted in three convictions, one in the criminal court and two in the municipal court. One man was fined $100 for putting water in his milk and two were fined $10 each for selling milk below the standard. More arrests are promised.

Benteen's Divorce Suit Is Dismissed.

St. Louis, Feb. 6.—The divorce suit of Captain Frederick W. Benteen, Seventh United States infantry, against his Cuban wife, Maria Sasanova Benteen, was dropped in the circuit court here. Neither Captain Benteen nor his wife appeared when the case was called. It is believed there has been a reconciliation.

St. Louis Is After Balloon Event.

St. Louis, Feb. 6.—Efforts will be made by the Aero club of St. Louis to obtain for St. Louis the annual American elimination race for balloons. The races will be held in June to determine the three American bags to be entered in the Gordon Bennett cup race to be sailed in France in October.

Spring Line of E. W. Williams'

Work Shoes
Just Arrived

The E. W. Williams line of Shoes is the best line of Work and Dress Shoes manufactured. Every pair warranted from one end to the other.

Price $2.00 and $3.00 per Pair

Remember we are exclusive distributors for THE BARRY SHOES. No shoe sold in Maryville can equal them for style, ease and durability. Other dealers in Maryville have made strenuous efforts to handle the Barry Company being honorable people, have forwarded and at the same time turned them down.

ing the best and in so doing have the best of

...RAUM'S
...Men.

KESSLER'S
5, 10 and 25 cent Store
Blue and White
Enamelware Sale
Saturday
Tea Kettles, Dishpans, Etc, 25c.

Our Annual White Goods Sale will Start

Saturday Morning, February 8

And will Continue for One Week

These sales are always looked forward to by the ladies of Maryville and vicinity. For this event we place on sale, at reduced prices, New Embroideries, Laces, Muslin Underwear and other items as are listed below. During this sale will be an opportune time to purchase your Spring and Summer needs in these lines, as fresh, clean merchandise has just been put in stock, and you will find assortments in every line more complete now than at any other time of the year. We have bought heavy for this sale, anticipating a big demand for this class of material this season. We believe we have the styles you wish—in the material you like—at the price you want to pay.

Embroideries

Our Embroidery Department just received the finest assortment of Embroidered Materials in its history. Come and inspect these beautiful goods which we are putting on sale at prices that are extremely moderate. You will be delighted with the dainty and original designs in Allovers, Flouncings, Galloons, and get many ideas for lingerie dresses, shirt waists, underwear, children's frocks, etc. The earlier you come the larger will be the selection.

The vogue of embroidery is as certain as the day. The coming of spring, as always, heralds embroideries' greater uses. The remolding of style merely expresses the human desire for change. No whim of fashion can displace this beautiful trimming for spring and summer dresses, as well as the many other uses for which it is made to serve. This department needs no introduction to our customers, as those who have attended our previous sales know the class of merchandise we sell, and we can assure you it is well up to the standard this year. Every piece reduced in price.

A Special in—

Handkerchiefs

We just received 30 dozen of a special number in Ladies' Handkerchiefs that we are selling for 15c, 2 for 25c, that is the best value we have ever seen for the price. Ask to see and buy some of these during our sale.

Muslin Underwear

You will find a splendidly stocked Muslin Underwear Department this season at our store. Our showing will merit your every consideration. The impression that seems to prevail with some is that ready-made muslin underwear does not fit and that they can buy the material and make it cheaper than they can buy it ready made, but we do not believe this is true in all cases. We have had splendid success with our line of Muslin Underwear. We know it is modestly priced, and as to the fit, we have had no complaints at all. The garments are just as well made as you can make them yourself, and why not save this extra labor when you can. During this sale you will find it very profitable to visit this department. Reduced prices on every garment.

Muslins, Sheetings and Tubings Reduced

10-4 Bleached Sheetings	27c
9-4 Bleached Sheetings	25c
8-4 Bleached Sheetings	23c
7-4 Bleached Sheetings	21c
10-4 Unbleached Sheetings	25c
9-4 Unbleached Sheetings	23c
45-inch Pillow Tubing, worth 22c, for	19c
42-inch Pillow Tubing, worth 25c, for	21c
42-inch Pillow Tubing, worth 20c, for	17c
36-inch Pillow Tubing	15c
36-inch Cambrics reduced ten per cent	
Hope Muslin	8½c

Laces

This season will break all records in the use of Laces. Last season the demand was the greatest the dry goods business has ever known—and the prediction is now that Laces will be used almost exclusively for trimming again this season. Our stock includes good assortments of Val Laces, Torchons, Linen Laces, Bands, Allovers, Edges and Points, at prices to suit all.

Reduced Prices on—

India Linons, Nainsooks and Longcloths

35c values reduced to	29c
30c values reduced to	22c
25c values reduced to	19c
20c values reduced to	15c
15c values reduced to	11c
12½c values reduced to	9c
10c values reduced to	8c

All plain White Cotton Goods, such as Flaxons, Cotton and Linon Suitings, Poplins, Dimities, Swisses and Lawns reduced TEN PER CENT.

New Materials

In Wool and Cotton Fabrics are now being shown by us. If you admire pretty things to wear and demand quality and style in the materials you buy you will be pleased with our showing. The beautiful fabrics we are showing will help you to solve your spring dress problem. Easter comes early this year, so don't put your buying off too long.

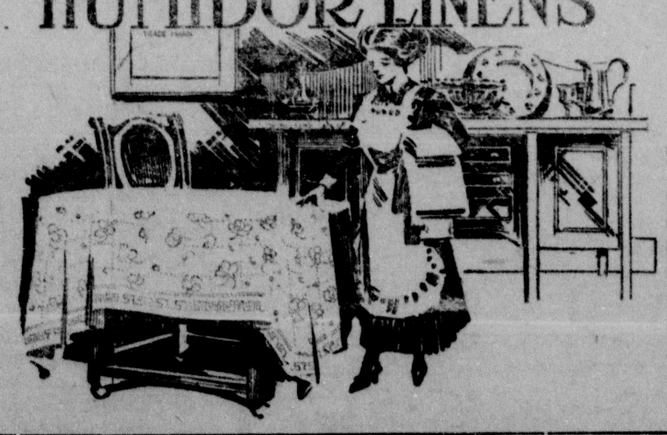

Table Linens and Napkins

Be Sure of Quality when You Buy Table Linens.

Do you know how to be sure that the linens you buy are good? Buy HUMIDOR Linens—they are always good. We will sell during this sale our

$2.00 Values at	$1.65
$1.50 Values at	$1.25
$1.25 Values at	$1.00
$1.00 Values at	82¢
90c Values at	75¢
65c and 75c Values at	55¢
50c Values at	42¢

All Grades of Napkins Reduced 10 per cent.

D...VERSOLE & SON

FRIDAY IS Bargain Day At TOWNSEND'S

You should do your best and biggest buying where quality is precedent to all other considerations. We at all times sell the best goods the market affords. Yet we are in position to make price concessions that are marvelous.

25 lbs bright new Prunes for.....$1.00
25c pkgs Quaker Graham Flour...16c
Genuine White Clover Honey, 2 frames for.....35c
5c bars Hershey's Almond or Milk Chocolate, 8 for.....25c
Very fancy Florida Grape Fruit, mammoth size, 3 for 25c; medium size, 4 for.....25c
Extra fancy quality Apples, selected, large sound fruit, per barrel...$2.90
Large bunches Crisp Lettuce.....5c
3 lbs choice Unroasted Peanuts...25c

* Another 500 package lot of extra Fancy Seeded Raisins at, per pkg.....5c
* 1,000 pkgs Griffen's Finest Seedless Raisins, bleached and capstemmed; best Raisins obtainable. Each package full 16-oz weight; worth 15c, at, per pkg.....7c

HERE IS A PRICE ON THE BEST PINK SALMON YOU EVER HAD:
1-lb tall cans Fancy Pink Salmon, worth and usually sold at 2 for 25c, on sale tomorrow at 2 for.....15c
A killing price on REX LARD. Government inspected and branded absolutely pure hog lard—
10-lb pail.....$1.22
5-lb pail.....63c
3-lb pail.....38c
CUDAHY'S WHITE RIBBON COMPOUND LARD—
50-lb pails.....$3.99
3-lb pails, 2 for.....55c
Potatoes—Choice smooth White Burbanks that will cook mealy and dry; per peck.....15c
1-lb bricks Boneless Codfish, 2 for 15c
Circle brand Chase & Sanborns 28c
1-lb pkg Coffee cut to, per lb...25c
5 gals Perfection Coal Oil for.....45c
5 gals Palacine Coal Oil, 20c grade, for.....75c
5 gals Crown Gasoline.....90c
Above prices on Oil and Gas does not include delivery.

The Townsend Co.
The Only Large Exclusive Cash Store in Northwest Missouri.

SEEDCORN

I am filling orders for Boone County White and Reid's Yellow Dent seed corn now. I have the good corn and a long list of winnings for this fall and winter. Price $2.25 and $2.50 per bushel. Order now. Don't wait.

M. C. THOMPSON,
One mile north of the K. C. Depot.
Farmers phone 3-11.

A SURE, QUICK COLD CURE—ACTS GENTLY.

Pape's Cold Compound Cures Colds and Grippe in a Few Hours—Contains no Quinine.

The most severe cold will be broken, and all grippe misery ended after taking a dose of Pape's Cold Compound every two hours until three consecutive doses are taken.

You will distinctly feel all the disagreeable symptoms leaving after the very first dose.

The most miserable headache, dullness, head and nose stuffed up, feverishness, sneezing running of the nose, sore throat, mucous catarrhal discharges, soreness, stiffness, rheumatism pains and other distress vanishes.

Take this wonderful Compound as directed, with the knowledge that there is nothing else in the world, which will cure your cold or end Grippe misery as promptly and without any other assistance or bad aftereffects as a 25-cent package of Pape's Cold Compound, which any druggist can supply—contains no quinine—belongs in every home—accept no substitute. Tastes nice—acts gently.—Advertisement.

Visiting in Kansas City.

Miss Ella Roney went to Kansas City Thursday morning for a few days' visit with Misses Fannie and Mollie Timmons and Mrs. J. O. Hiatt.

Salting Them Down.

There's trouble in store for the gent who never salts down a red cent, who looks upon cash as the veriest trash, for foolish extravagance meant. Since money comes easy today, he thinks 'twill be always that way, and he burns up the scads with the rollicking lads and warbles a madrigal gay. His dollars are drawn when they're due, and rather than salt down a few, he throws them, with jests, at the robin red breasts, with riotous hullabaloo. I look down the scurrying years—for I'm the descendant of seers, and the spendthrift descry when his youth is gone by an object of pity and tears. I see him parading the street, on weary and ring-boney feet, a-begging for dimes, for the sake of old times, to buy him some sauerkraut to eat. I see him abandoned and sick, his pillow a dornick or brick; and the peeler comes by with a vulcanized eye and swats him for luck with a stick. I see him when dying; he groans, but his anguish for nothing atones! And they cart him away in the dawn cold and gray, to the place where they bury cheap bones. Don't burn up your money, my friend; don't squander or foolishly lend; though you say it is dross and regret not its loss, it's a comfort and staff in the end.—Walt Mason.

Miss Ruth Hausner of Atchison, Kan., who has been spending a few days in Maryville with Misses Laura and Ora Barmann and Miss Charlotte Murrin, returned home Wednesday evening.

Father-Love.

We hear about a mother's love
In story and in song,
How stanch it is through thick and thin,
How sweet and pure and beautiful,
And every word is true.
But what about a father's love?
That claims some credit, too.

It's father delves the darksome mine,
And climbs the girders high,
And swings upon the scaffolding
Between the earth and sky.
It's father bends his aching back,
And bows his graying head,
To bear the burdens of the day,
And earn the children's bread.

For both must work and both must plan,
And do an equal share
To rear the little ones the Lord
Has trusted to their care.
All honor to the mother-love,
The universe it fills,
But when you praise it don't forget
That father pays the bills.
—Minna Irving in New York Times.

The Scotchman's Hint.

Sandy and his lads had been sitting together about half an hour in silence. "Maggie," he said at length, "wasna I here on the Sawbath nicht?"

"Aye, Sandy, I daur say you were."

"An' wasna I here on Monday nicht?"

"Aye, so you were."

"An' I was here on Tuesday nicht, an' Wednesday nicht an' Thursday nicht, an' Friday nicht?"

"Aye, I'm thinkin' that's so."

"An' this is Saturday nicht, an' I'm here again?"

"Well, what for no? I'm sure ye're very welcome."

Sandy (desperately)—"Maggie, woman, dae ye no begin to smell a rat?"—Chicago Record-Herald.

Mrs. John Mahoney of East First street is dangerously ill at this writing.

Valentines

Only seven more days until Valentine Day. We still have a good assortment, and will be glad to show you our stock and prices.

HOTCHKIN'S Variety Store

Berney Harris Will Continue His Bargain Sale on

Men's Suits, Men's Overcoats, Boys' Suits, Boys' Overcoats

An assorted lot of Men's Suits, former prices $12.50 and $15.00, reduced to.....$7.50

A much larger assortment of Men's Suits, former prices $15.00, $18.00, $20.00, $25.00, $27.50, reduced to.....$10.00

Boys' Knee Suits Ages 3 to 17 years. Any of our $3.00 Suits @...$2.25	**Boys' Knee Suits** Ages 3 to 17 years. Any of our $6.50 Suits @...$5.00	**Men's Overcoats** Former Price.....$27.50 SALE PRICE.....$18.90	**Men's Overcoats** Former Price.....$16.50 SALE PRICE.....$11.90
Boys' Knee Suits Any of our $4.00 Suits @...$3.00	**Boys' Knee Suits** Any of our $7.50 Suits @...$6.00	**Men's Overcoats** Former Price.....$22.50 SALE PRICE.....$16.90	**Men's Overcoats** Former Price.....$13.50 SALE PRICE.....$9.65
Boys' Knee Suits Any of our $5.00 Suits @...$3.75 (Except Blue Serges).	**Boys' Knee Suits** Any of our $10.00 Suits @...$7.00	**Men's Overcoats** Former Price.....$20.00 SALE PRICE.....$14.25	As we need the Overcoat space badly will include all our Blacks, Greys or Fancies—Long or Short Coats—Dress or Storm Collars.

Berney will also give all an opportunity to compare the superiority of his *regular 15c grades of "Men's Black Cat Socks"* over the many cheap brands being sold in town at *"10c as bargains"* His entire line of *"15c Black Cat Socks," in any color at 10c pair.*

Those wishing the finer grades of Silk Lisle finish or Mercerized will include in this sale *our 25c grades for 17½c.* On every 6 pairs bought in this sale you save 45c.

Were it not for the unexpected arrival of so many new spring styles Berney Harris would not so slaughter such desirable merchandise as is included in the above.

Why not help yourself reduce the high cost of living by getting in on this sale?

Lethe's River.

Is there a river where I may hide
The secrets of a life that's gone?
Is there a water where I may lose
Thoughts and deeds that have long been done?
Is there a place, as the poets say,
Where I may leave my childhood's hours?
Is there a stream in Africa's land
With such strange and mystical powers?

Would I bathe in those strange waters
If the tale were not a vain dream?
Would I lose the sweet life I have lived
Mid the waves of that fabled stream?
Would I forget the knowledge I've gained,
Truths instilled by the sages old?
Would I cast from it, mind these rich gems,
More precious than silver or gold?

There are voices of magic music,
Sweet as Aeolian's harp strain;
There are sounds of weeping and wailing
That haunt us with their sad refrain;
There are touches of a hand that's gone,
That make the heart pulse and quiver;
There are smiles from a face that is dead—
Which we'd lose in Lethe's river.

I would not bathe in a stream like this
With all its mystic meaning fraught,
I would not lose from memory's store
A single word or deed or thought;
I would not break those golden links
That bind me now and forever;
I would not, I could not, I dare not,
Bathe in Lethe's slimy river.

LEE HARREL.
Liberty, Mo., July 10, 1891.

Doing the Chores.

A boy helped to plant fifty apple trees. "Beginning next month the borers must be hunted," said the father. "How often? How long?" asked the boy. "Once a month during the open seasons—for years. I'm going to leave it to you." Kneeling or half laying for hours in the rotting mulch, the boy dug and cut and wired out the small enemies—for years. He found that once a week was necessary in some periods. Boys went by to base ball and swimming. They called cheerily across the creek lot, but neither side spoke of his getting to go. It was one of his chores. The new orchard was out of sight of the house. But letting a row go till next month, on bad days when ice storms were slanting in, did not occur to him. Many times he left a tree and a big root channeling borer, his staying power all drained out through the sore fingers, but came back the next day and the next. It was his chore. When the orchard was well into bearing and price, a wind storm destroyed two-thirds of it. The boy who dug the grubs has since bent patiently at the roots of some other things and seen them tend upward. Recently he bought those fifteen bounteous apple trees back into the family, and has started his boy on more trees and borers behind a wind break.

Chore laws are ancient, simple, and inexorable. Do the thing half feared or dreaded, at the time appointed, without being told again, as well as if the master stood alongside. Bring in the wood the same when the pile is icebound and go back after the dropped stick. Get the young cattle through the barway, though they break and go around you twelve times and again, and dark comes, and you are crying. Warm your fingers afterward. Don't tell.

The majority of American children have been rather abruptly bereft of chores! In the morning hours when the soul of childhood lies almost bare in the clear, expectant eyes, from school-out till supper, from supper to bedtime—something more than play is needed. Children feel this and wait, and prowl about for material of a stouter weave, something fibered with the full life roundabout and impending; and, adventuring unguided, they get knowledge and scars.

Organized play will not fill this gap in education. Manual training has limitations. But in every home lie neglected means of giving to its youth a strengthening and character making apportionment of the day's work.

Partly because of chores rural youth, despite increasing proportionate disadvantages, will go on regularly to the hard, high places. Land about a home means chores.—Collier's Weekly.

BOX SUPPER and DANCE

W. O. W. Hall Friday Evening, Feb. 7

Come out and have a good time.

Let Us Have a Look at Your Eyes

You may be having trouble that is caused from eye strain.

Our thorough routine examination with Mediaometer and trial case enable us to obtain results that make the use of glasses a pleasure.

All work guaranteed.

Raines Brothers
JEWELERS
"Just a step past Main."

Cheap Goods are Sold Cheap

and are not guaranteed to the consumer.

We Guarantee Batavia Goods

Schumacher's

Home of Batavia Pure Food Goods.

FOR SALE

Boone County White seed corn, $2 a bushel. Black Texas seed oats, 40 cents a bushel.

Fresh cow, calf by side, $75.

Oakerson Bros.
Farmers' phone, Skidmore, 1-116.

This is the Way they Come Out of the

OLD TRUSTY

Strong, Healthy and Hungry.

This is the incubator that hatches 85 per cent of the fertile eggs. We carry in stock the 100, 150 and 200 egg sizes, also the brooders. You can get them from our store set up and in perfect condition, ready for setting, at factory prices and take no risk of their being broken.

SUNNY MONDAY

This is what you may have if you use the Sunshine Rotary Washer. Call and let us tell you why.

Galvanized Tubs, Boilers, Wringers and Ironing Boards. Mrs. Potts Nickel Plated Sad Irons at 75c per set.

We want your hardware business and will endeavor OUR VERY BEST to merit it.

H. C. BOWER, West Side Hardware

FOR SALE
Everything I Have Got

My beautiful home on South Main street, no better property in Maryville.

Three business houses, first 3 doors south of First National Bank. No better inside rental property.

My barn on East Side of Square, good rental property.

House and lot on East First street, good location.

No agents, no mortgage. See me.

J. A. FORD

Alderman Dry Goods Co.

WEST THIRD STREET ✣ ✣ ✣ MARYVILLE MO.

Sale of Remnants and Odd Lots
Saturday, Monday and Tuesday

Invoice always reveals Remnants and Odd Lots in every department. These have all been combined in one Big Remnant Sale. You will find the tables on the main floor filled with these goods, all marked in plain figures, ready for your inspection.

Piece Goods ¼ and ½ Off

The following list of Piece Goods are marked from ¼ to ½ off:

SILKS—Some patterns large enough for waists and others with enough goods for dresses.

WOOL GOODS—In skirt and dress lengths—also Ginghams, Percales, Skirtings, Calicoes, Outing Flannels, Muslins and Wash Goods of all kinds. Also Draperies, Scrims, Nets and Cretonnes.

Coats and Suits

40 Ladies' and Misses' Warm, Winter Coats, a special lot on the main floor, for.....$1.98
8 carried-over Suits.....$3.95

Waists

Plain, Black Silk Waists, for middle aged and old ladies, $5.00 values, for.....$2.50

Wool Skirts $4.95

Extra Fine Wool Skirts in black and colors, values to $10.00, for.....$4.95

Lace 1c a Yard

2,000 yards of Lace, 1 and 2 inches wide, suitable for underwear and pillow cases. See lobby window.

Muslin Underwear

Half Price

Muslin, Long Cloth and Nainsook, Corset Covers, Gowns and Underwear, which have been slightly soiled by frequent handling, good values, **half price.**

Neckwear

All the odd lots in 50c neckwear for.....25c

Chamois Skins

25c grade for.....15c
19c grade for.....12c

Many Remn... de-partments are ... this

FERN THEATRE

Four Reel Specia...

The Carl Ha...

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Wallace...

700 PEOPLE; 300 HORSE...
14 ELEPHANTS; 200 PER...
WHOLE CIRCUS FROM TH...
TILL THE LOADING BE...
FIVE SHOWS, 3 O'CLOCK ...
THE 17TH AND 18TH...
O'CLOCK IN TH...
ADMISSION ...
CHILDREN ...

Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. ... of near Graham ... ors Thursday.

GROWS BEAUTIFUL, HEAVY HAIR, WE PROVE IT--25 CENT "DANDERINE"

DESTROYS DANDRUFF—STOPS FALLING HAIR—CLEANS AND INVIGORATES YOUR SCALP—DELIGHTFUL DRESSING.

To be possessed of a head of heavy, beautiful hair; soft, lustrous, fluffy, wavy and free from dandruff is merely a matter of using a little Danderine.

It is easy and inexpensive to have nice, soft hair and lots of it. Just get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine now—all drug stores recommend it—apply a little as directed and within ten minutes there will be an appearance of abundance; freshness, fluffiness and an incomparable gloss and lustre and try as you will you cannot find a trace of dandruff or falling hair; but your real surprise will be after about two weeks' use, when you will see new hair—fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—sporuting out all over your scalp—Danderine is, we believe, the only sure hair grower; destroyer of dandruff and cure for itchy scalp and it never fails to stop falling hair at once.

If you want to prove how pretty and soft your hair really is, moisten a cloth with a little Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair—taking one small strand at a time. Your hair will be soft, glossy and beautiful in just a few moments—a delightful surprise awaits everyone who tries this.—Advertisement

A marriage license was issued Thursday afternoon to Frank C. Anderson of Guilford and Mary E. Vanfossan of Barnard.

Miss Leona Buttman of Barnard returned home Thursday evening from a week's visit with Mrs. W. F. Moyer.

SALE BILLS

A Specialty at the

Democrat-Forum

We're Fixed to Do Your Work

A marriage license was issued Thursday to Chester I. Hartman of Great Falls, Mont., and Miss Eudora J. Cooper of Bolckow.

A marriage license was issued in St. Joseph Wednesday to Edward H. Seymour of Fairfax and Anna E. Dawson of Skidmore.

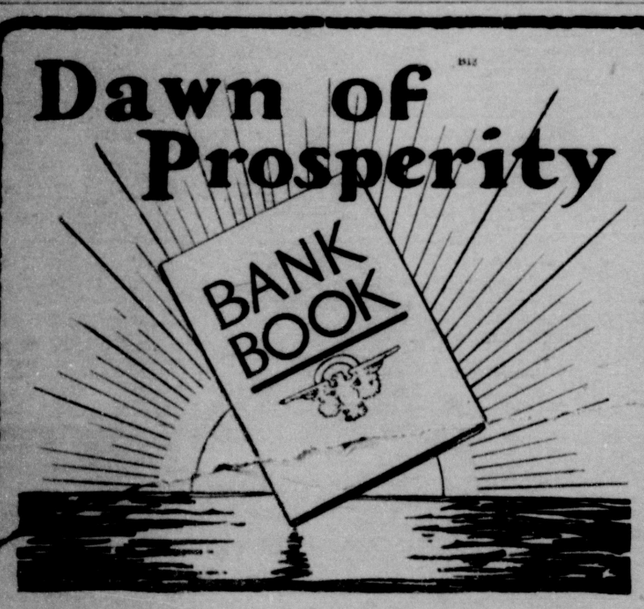
When in St. Joseph stop at Hotel Ryan (European), 313 South Sixth street. Steam heated. Rooms 50 cents to $1.00 per day.

FOR SALE

Property at 1222 East Third street consisting of two lots, good five-room house, good cave, well, barn and wood shed, nice garden spot and fruit trees. The estate of Henry Myers.

ED MYERS, Administrator

Dawn of Prosperity



Your Prospect of Success Lies with Your Bank Account

The day you make your first deposit marks the beginning of your progress. It is the first real step toward independence. The man who spends all his income is speculating with the future. Everybody meets with some misfortune at some period and should conserve against that day. The young man in business who does not save, the business house that does not maintain a surplus, is unprepared for emergency. Start an account today.

NODAWAY VALLEY BANK

MARYVILLE, MISSOURI

Capital and Surplus - - - $122,000.00

CLOSING OUT SALE

At the W. A. Sewell farm, one mile east and three north of Graham, four miles east and three south of Skidmore, on

Monday, Feb. 10th.

at 10 a. m., will sell the following described property:

10 HEAD OF HORSES—1 team of mare coming six, weight about 2700; brown mare, 10 years old, weight 1350; 1 six year old mare; four coming 3-year-old colts; 1 coming 3-year-old filly; 1 spring colt.

6 HEAD OF CATTLE—3 cows; 3 spring steer calves.

5 brood sows and 30 fall shoats.

GRAIN AND HAY—400 bushels of corn, 16 tons of barn hay; 100 bushels of oats.

IMPLEMENTS—1 Newton wagon, nearly new; 1 buggy; 1 16-inch Moline sulky; 1 14-inch stirring plow; 1 St. Joe lister and drill combined, been used just one season; 1 Great Western lister and drill combined, 1 disc cultivator, 1 walking cultivator, 1 disc harrow, 1 disc go-devil, 1 2-section harrow, corn sheller, mowing machine, hay frame, 3 sets work harness, 1 set single harness, 1 saddle and other articles.

TERMS—$10 and under cash; over that amount a credit of 8 months time on a bankable note at 8 per cent interest. Lunch on ground.

E. P. Hosmer, Auctioneer.
J. M. Wilson, Clerk.

M. A. Sewell.

The E. W. Williams line of Shoes is [illegible] Shoes manufactured. Every pair warra[illegible]

SALE

Price $2.00 a[illegible] per Pai[illegible] one mile south of Maryville, on

Feb. 8

Remember we are exclusive distributors for [illegible] Shoe sold in Maryville can equal them for st[illegible] Other dealers in Maryville have made strenu[illegible] Barry Company being honorable pe[illegible]

property: 1 bay mare, smooth 7 years old, weight about [illegible], 1 Jersey heifer and at the same time turned them d[illegible] sows, will pig ing the best and in so doing have [illegible] cultivators, 1 2 sets work ated carriage. t a credit of interest from

BAUM'S

GBY

VESSEL'S CREW DISAPPEARS

Bark Picked Up, Seaworthy, Provisioned and Fully Rigged.

NO CLUE TO MASTER OR SAILORS

British Steamer Picks Up Unusual Prize Ten Days Out of Port Arthur, Only to Lose It in Gale Off Cape Henry.

Newport News, Va., Feb. 6.—Another mystery of the deep, paralleling the unexpected disappearance of the crew of the schooner Marie Celeste several years ago, has been reported here by the British tank steamer Roumanian. On Jan. 19, churning along ten days out from Port Arthur and near the Azores it picked up the Norwegian bark Remittent, seaworthy, provisioned and fully rigged, but without a soul aboard and no indication of the crew's fate.

The Roumanian, after towing the Remittent to within 100 miles of Cape Henry, lost it in a violent gale.

The Marie Celeste was found at sea with a pot boiling in its galley and its captain's papers on the cabin table, and every indication that its crew had been aboard within a few hours of its discovery. But nothing ever was heard of skipper or crew.

The story of the Remittent is scarcely less strange.

The Roumanian sighted the Remittent in latitude 40 degress 30 minutes and longitude 27 degrees 30 minutes, riding a heavy swell without a hand to guide it before a freshening breeze. The big tank steamer's lookout immediately reported it as a ship out of control and Captain Claridge set out in pursuit.

Erratic Craft Boarded.

While the Roumanian was coming up on it the Remittent, with tiller banging to and fro, was running wild, first to one point of the compass and then to another. The Roumanian lowered boats to take a line to the bark. After more than an hour's jockeying, a boat finally caught and boarded it.

Its deck planks, once swabbed and holystoned to a glistening white, bore the marks of many feet, but there was nothing to explain the disappearance of its master and crew.

In its cabin, some odds and ends rolled and clinked in the corners, but the lockers and drawers were undisturbed and its charts and papers were quite secure. In its water tanks there was a full supply of fresh water, and its stores of salt horse and biscuits were not depleted. Its life boats swung at the davits.

The Remittent was commanded by Captain Torgersen and sailed from Rio Grande do Sul, Oct. 25, for Liverpool. It carried, in addition to its master, a crew of five or six.

BLOOD ON BEACH'S KNIFE

Testimony on Point in Famous Assault Case Conflicts.

Aiken, S. C., Feb. 6.—The prosecution in the trial of Frederick O. Beach of New York, accused of attacking his wife with "murderous intent," rested.

Dr. Partridge of Augusta was the first witness called by the defense. Beach's diamond studded knife was shown to him and he identified it as one which was submitted to him last March to be tested for the presence of blood. Dr. Partridge said his examination showed no trace of blood.

Mayor Herbert E. Gyles of Aiken, testifying for the state, said Beach gave the knife to him on request about three weeks after the assault, and later he turned it over to Dr. D. Hastings Wyman, Jr., for microscopic examination.

Dr. Wyman testified that he had discovered on the knife what he believed to be blood stains. This view was sustained, he said, by Dr. Boyden Mims of Columbia, to whom he submitted the knife.

A. K. Lorense, editor of a local paper, testified he examined the Beach premises the night of the assault and found evidences of a struggle in the side yard. He said he was with the chief of police when the latter found the earrings and comb belonging to Mrs. Beach, and the blood stained fence picket. He said one of the earrings was mashed. He expressed the opinion they were paste and worth only about $2.

Southern Bankers Loan to Farmers

Washington, Feb. 6.—Charges that national banks throughout the south openly violate the national banking law by loaning money on real estate mortgages were made by Soi Wexler, a New Orleans banker, before the house currency reform committee. He told the committee the national banking law should be amended to legalize loans on real estate securities and said he knew of banks in Louisiana, Mississippi and Alabama loaning their funds on real estate, to accommodate farmers.

King Alfonso Will Not Visit America.

Madrid, Feb. 6.—King Alfonso of Spain will not visit America, according to an official statement. Referring to reports as to such an intention on the part of his majesty, the lord chamberlain said: "The king has displayed the greatest personal interest in the United States and would have been glad to have paid a visit there if it had been possible."

To Cure Cold in One Day

Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.—Adv.

A marriage license was issued Wednesday evening to Joseph E. Cooper and Mary Hargin of Conway, Ia.

Miss Bertha Chappell [illegible] ering Thursday to vis[illegible] Will Harbison.

ROBERT L. HENRY.

Texas Congressman Who Is Reported Favored by Wilson For His Cabinet.

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Congressman Henry is one of the latest to be reported favored for United States attorney general. According to rumor, he has received an intimation that he may be formally tendered the post.

ASK PRESIDENT TO INTERVENE

Buttermakers of Dairy States Call Moisture Ruling Unjust.

Washington, Feb. 6.—Representing the views of part of the members of the delegations from Iowa, South Dakota, North Dakota, Minnesota and Wisconsin, Representatives Volstead and Hammond of Minnesota called on the president to secure his interpretation in the controversy over the ruling of Internal Revenue Commissioner Cabel inflicting alleged unjust penalties on dealers handling butter containing more than 16 per cent moisture. It is charged that the ruling in question has been declared void by a decision of the circuit court of appeals in Minnesota, and the president was asked to have the matter reviewed in the supreme court, or if the supreme court does not have jurisdiction in the premises that the attorney general render an opinion giving his interpretation of the law.

The request for executive intervention was signed not only by members of the Iowa delegation, but by the delegations in congress from North Dakota, South Dakota, Minnesota and most of the members from Wisconsin.

HOPPE STILL CUE CHAMPION

Defeats Sutton at Balk Line, Five Hundred to Three Hundred.

New York, Feb. 6.—Willie Hoppe, 18.2 balk line billiard champion, successfully defended his title, defeating George Sutton of Chicago, 500 to 301.

Hoppe made only 14 in his first three innings, but then settled and rolled off some beautiful billiards. In his fourth turn at the table he netted 117 points.

At the end of ten innings the score stood 265 to 180 in Hoppe's favor, after Sutton had just made his high run of 99, which ended with a miss of a short draw. From this point to the end of the game Hoppe played brilliant billiards, while Sutton's best effort was 39 in his sixteenth inning.

Tillman Objects to Smoking in Senate.

Washington, Feb. 6.—If Senator Tillman of South Carolina can have his way there will be no smoking in the executive sessions of the senate. He is very sensitive to the odor of tobacco and made an effort at the executive session to have smoking prohibited, but as the question is not covered by the rules, he failed. He then gave notice that he soon would introduce a resolution prohibiting smoking in the senate chamber at all times.

Highwayman Got His Overcoat.

Chicago, Feb. 6.—"That seems to be a nice, warm overcoat you are wearing, old top," observed one of the highwaymen who held up and robbed J. H. Hamilton of Billings, Mont., as he descended from an elevated train in the downtown district. "Be a good sport and take it off. Can't you see I'm shivering?" With a big revolver poked against his ribs Hamilton decided to give up the coat. The robbers also took $160 from the Montanan. He was given a breakfast at a nearby police station.

Sherman Memorial Service.

Washington, Feb. 6.—President Taft, ten senators and Speaker Clark will speak at the memorial services in the senate, Feb. 15, for the late Vice President James S. Sherman.

Bartholdt Accepts Peace Presidency.

St. Louis, Feb. 6.—Congressman Richard Bartholdt of St. Louis accepted the presidency of the fourth annual peace congress, which is to be held here May 1-3.

The Irony of Fate.

At night he kept his windows up.
To let the fresh air in
And breathed full twenty times before
The day's work would begin.
He sprinkled antiseptics 'round
And boiled the water, too;
And analyked the milk and cream
Whenever it was blue.
He chewed his food a hundred times,
The plainest fare he ate;
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TURK CABINET IN A QUANDARY

Sees War Is Hopeless and Seeks to Save Its Face.

ADRIANOPLE MUST BE GIVEN UP

Attempt Made to Sell Crown Jewels to French Company—Bulgarians Want Gallipoli—Appear Successful in First Operations Before Capital.

London, Feb. 6.—The Daily Telegram publishes a long uncensored dispatch from its correspondent, Ellis Ashmead Bartlett, at Constantinople, in which he says the Turkish people are in such a state of misery and destitution as a result of the war that they are completely indifferent as to the fate of Adrianople.

"The cabinet is in a quandary," says the correspondent. "It knows that it will be compelled to cede Adrianople and is only seeking some means to save its face. It is said that the coup d'etat only was intended to occur after Kiamil Pasha surrendered Adrianople, but was precipitated by some mistake. Hence the difficulty the ministry now is in.

"There is not a cent in the treasury and there are no means of getting money until peace is concluded. Meanwhile, the country is drifting to ruin and bankruptcy.

"A great anti-war demonstration occurred in front of the war office, at which the Young Turks were publicly denounced as murderers and thieves. Mahmoud Schefket Pasha appeared on the balcony and tried to make a speech, but was greeted with opprobrious epithets."

Bulgarians Successful.

The Bulgarians are devoting their chief attention to the bombardment of Adrianople and an attempt to capture the Gallipoli peninsula and to take the Turkish forts in the rear.

An official dispatch issued at Constantinople indicates that the Bulgarians have been successful in their operations in the latter quarter, and according to a Sofia dispatch the capture of Gallipoli is the chief object of the Bulgarians for the time being and no serious attempt will be made to force the Tchataija lines.

LIBERIANS ROUT REBELS

Major Ballard's Army Inflicts Crushing Defeat on Kroos.

Monrovia, Liberia, Feb. 6.—A crushing defeat, with heavy slaughter, was inflicted on the Kroo natives of Liberia by Major Ballard, one of the American officers lent some time ago to the Liberian government.

Dispatches brought by runner say that Major Ballard with a force of Liberian troops razed the Kroo stronghold at Rock Cass after a severe fight.

Major Ballard's force lost eight killed and fifteen wounded.

The recalcitrant Kroos were responsible for the recent arrival of the German gunboats Panther and Eber off the Liberian coast, the German residents in Liberia having represented to the German government that their lives and interests were in danger.

WALSH CONFESSES GRAFT

New York Police Captain Makes Statement to Prosecutor.

New York, Feb. 6.—Police Captain Thomas W. Walsh, accused by Patrolman Eugene Fox as the man to whom he paid his graft collections for five years, was sent for by District Attorney Whitman, and according to a statement by the district attorney confessed to his part in the alleged police graft and implicated two men "higher up" in the police department. He declared that every cent collected by Fox had been shared by him with an inspector after 10 per cent had been taken out by Fox as his share of the fund.

Walsh could not recall offhand the amount paid by him each year to the inspector, but he thought it would reach between $25,000 and $50,000.

Girl Striker Killed.

Rochester, N. Y., Feb. 6.—The first shedding of blood in connection with the strike of the garment workers occurred here when Valentine Sauter, proprietor of a clothing shop, fired one shell from a shot gun into a crowd of strikers. One girl striker, Ida Braeman, was killed by the shot and two other women and a man were wounded.

Prince Hassan Escaped Execution.

Alexandria, Egypt, Feb. 6.—Prince Aziz Hassan, cousin of the khedive of Egypt, who was supposed to have been court-martialed and executed at Constantinople for fleeing at the battle of Kirk-Killisseh, arrived here by a French steamer. He boarded the vessel at one of the ports of Asia Minor.

Castro Will Lunch With Sulzer.

New York, Feb. 6.—Cipriano Castro, ex-president of Venezuela, accepted an invitation to take luncheon with Governor Sulzer at Albany today. He will return to New York tomorrow, when argument comes up on his writ of habeas corpus.

Four Methods of Suicide Ineffective.

Albany, Ga., Feb. 6.—After taking a drug and powdered glass, slashing his wrist with a razor and shooting himself below the heart in an attempt at suicide, Gordon Flourney, secretary treasurer of the Albany cotton mills, still lives.

C. H. Wilson of near Parnell was a city visitor Thursday.

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FEEL BULLY? TAKE CASCARETS TONIGHT

A 10 Cent Box Will Keep Your Liver, Stomach and Bowels Clean, Pure and Fresh For Months.

Sick headache, biliousness, dizziness, coated tongue, foul taste and foul breath—always trace them to torpid liver, delayed fermenting food in the bowels or sour, gassy stomach.

Poisonous matter clogged in the intestines, instead of being cast out of the system is re-absorbed into the blood. When this poison reaches the delicate brain tissue it causes congestion and that dull, throbbing, sickening headache.

Salts, cathartic pills, oil and purgative waters force a passageway for a day or two—yes—but they dont take the poisons out and have no effect upon the liver or stomach.

Cascarets immediately cleanse and regulate the stomach, remove the sour, undigested and fermenting food and foul gases, take the excess bile from the liver and carry out of the system all the constipated waste matter and poisons in the bowels.

A Cascaret tonight will surely straighten you out by morning. They work while you sleep—a 10-cent box from your druggist means your head clear, stomach sweet and your liver and bowels clean and regular for months.—Advertisement.

Lieutenant Homer Mason and his wife, Lieutenant Mary Mason, and Samuel Mason of the Salvation army post at St. Joseph were Maryville visitors Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry McAuliffe, Lamar, Col., announce the birth of a daughter Thursday, January 30. Mrs. McAuliffe was formerly Miss Hazel Cunningham of Maryville.

MRS. LARAMORE TELLS TROUBLES

Lady in Goodwater Describes Her Distressing Experience and Tells How She Was Finally Relieved.

Goodwater, Mo.—"Ever since I was a little girl," says Mrs. Riley Laramore, "I was a great sufferer from dyspepsia.

I suffered misery after eating, and had terrible heartburn.

I thought I had to suffer this way as long as I lived, but when I began to take Thedford's Black-Draught, in small doses, every night, the heartburn was all gone in a few days, and I could eat without distress.

I took two small packages in all, and although that was some time ago, the dyspepsia has not returned.

I speak a good word for Thedford's Black-Draught whenever I have the opportunity."

If eating causes distress, we urge you to try Thedford's Black-Draught. It cleanses the system, helps the stomach to digest its food, regulates the bowels, and stimulates the liver.

It acts gently and is without bad aftereffects. Try it. Price 25c.

Flowers for Everybody

Everywhere, sent safely and promptly by parcel post. On all orders for our Fresh Cut Flowers of 75c and over received during balance of this week up till noon Saturday, Feb. 8th, we will pay forwarding charges via parcel post within fifty miles of Maryville, and on all orders of $1.00 and over, within 150 miles of Maryville. We pack all shipping orders carefully with our special cut flower address labels, your card, etc., and deliver promptly to postoffice or express offices.

The Engelmann Greenhouses

1001 South Main Street.
Hanamo 17 1-2, Bell 126.

Poultry Cards

One inch cards in this column for $1 50 per month. No card taken for less than one month at this rate.

KELLERSTRASS CRYSTAL White Orpington and prize winning S. C. Buff Orpington Eggs for hatching. White Orpington cockerels for sale. F. W. Olney, Bell phone 277.

WHITE ORPINGTONS, Kellerstrass strain. Now booking orders for eggs, $2 and $3 per setting. Get your orders in early. G. B. Holmes. Will sell one pen if taken at once.

R. C. R. I. REDS at $1.00 for 15 Eggs. Will deliver eggs when wanted. Mrs. J. H. Hanna, Pickering, Mo.

WANTS

Advertisements are inserted in this column at the rate of three lines (18 words) three days for 25 cents. For ads larger than three lines one cent extra will be charged for each word in excess of 18. Cash must accompany orders for these small amounts.

"For Sale," "For Rent" and "Room for Rent" cards at this office, only 10 cents each.

FOR SALE—One second-hand pool table, 4½x9, for $35, by the Elks club, Maryville. 4-10

WANTED—Some young calves. Also have Barred Rock eggs for sale for a few weeks at $4.00 per 100. Farmers phone 5-15. Albert S. Watson. 5-7

LOST—White silk poodle dog, thought to be mad. Return it to Harry Burman home on East Third street to D. T. Littler. 5-7

FOR SALE—Good Frazier road cart and set of double buggy harness. Will sell cheap. M. C. Thompson, Farmers phone 3-11. 4-6

FOR SALE—An 8-room house and lot. A 5-room house, one or two lots One vacant lot. Call Hanamo 259 Blue 14-tf

FOR RENT—4-room house on East Sixth street; good well, outbuildings, on paved street. Enquire of Mrs. John Snapp, 408 East Seventh street. 6-8

The party borrowing a suit case at Burlington depot within the last ten days please return it and contents to this office at once and oblige. 6-8

FOR SALE—Mammoth black jack, 8 years old, sired by Major Domo 474, of Quiet Glenn. Omer O. Davis, route 1, Bolckow, Mo. 21-20

FOR SALE—White Pekin ducks, White Orpington cockerels, Black Langshan cockerels and Cornish Indian game pullets. J. A. Speirs, Clarinda Poultry House. 5-tf

WE ARE PREPARED to take roomers and boarders at the new place we have taken and named The Minnehaha corner Buchanan and West Fourth streets, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Belcher. 28-10

FOR SALE—Finest residence lot in Maryville, northwest corner First and Dunn streets. All improvements in. Worth $2,000. Best cash offer gets it. Positively no trade considered. Address J. DeVoe, 4144 Charlotte street, Kansas City, Mo. 3-19

FOR RENT

5-room dwelling at southwest corner Fourth and Buchanan streets.

6-room dwelling at northwest corner Fillmore and Torrance streets.

Also FOR SALE or exchange for good farm lands, two nice suburban dwellings with modern conveniences and large grounds, one on North Mulberry street, 9 acres, and one on West First street, 2 acres. The latter on paved street. All bargains for quick sales.

Also two 80-acre improved farms TO EXCHANGE for Maryville residence property.

Prices made known on application at office, over Nodaway Valley bank. All phones. The Sisson Loan and Title Company. 17-tf

APPLES

Grimes Golden and York Imperial apples, per barrel, $2.50. These varieties are splendid eating apples.

W. H. GHORMLY,
Hopkins, Mo.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

K. C. CUMMINS, M. D.
SURGERY and GENERAL PRACTICE
Office over First National bank. Calls answered promptly day and night. All phones.

DR. CHAS. T. BELL
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Emergency calls answered promptly day or night. Office hours, 9 to 11 a. m.; 2 to 5 p. m. All phones.

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R. E. MARTIN, Manager.
PLUMBING AND HEATING.
We Never Sleep
Hanamo 46, Bell 314. Maryville [illegible]

W. F. BOLIN
Architect and General Contractor
Wants to draw your plans and build your house. Make your new screens or repair your old ones. All work done by first class workmen. C[illegible] Hanamo 268.

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CITY BOYS BEST?

COUNTRY BOYS NOT DEVELOPED, SAYS ATHLETIC DIRECTOR.

ALL ARMS AND BACKS

Injured by Hard Work in Youth, With No Chance for Physical Training, Are Not Evenly Developed.

The "Apollo" in the following write up sent out from Columbia, once worked in Hopkins, being employed by George Fred Davis some two or three years ago, when Mr. Davis was in the dairy business says the Hopkins Journal. Shrader was quite popular, and the following will be of interest to his many friends in Hopkins.

The nearest perfect man physically among the 1,500 students at the University of Missouri is a city boy, according to a series of examinations made by the athletic authorities. He is Harlan Loy Shrader, a student in the college of agriculture and the son of a Kansas City minister.

"For his size, he is an ideal man and is more perfectly proportioned and symmetrical than any other man I have ever examined" says O. F. Field, physical instructor, who has tested every student enrolled in the department of physical education.

This near Apollo, according to Prof. Field, has a posture exceptionally good, excellent blood circulation and also fine lungs and muscular development. Since he enrolled at the university he has not donned a football uniform, a track suit or base ball togs. He has confined his exercise to gymnastic work.

Shrader is 23 years old and weighs 151 pounds. He is 5 feet 8 inches tall. He began gymnastic work at school in Kansas City when he was 15 years old. He was out of school two years, so that, in all, he has had six years of gymnastic work.

Previous to the discovery of the near perfection of this city boy Prof. Field had found a marked superiority in the physical development of the city boys over those from the farm at the university. In regard to this difference Prof. Field says:

"There is a marked physical difference in the city lad and the farmer boy. The country boy is strong at lifting with his back and arms, but he is sadly lacking in the co-ordination of muscles which is much better developed in the city lads. It is merely in the back and arms that the farmer boy shows any physical superiority over the city boy.

"The country boy excels the city boy in the "dips"—pushing up. There is not much difference in the heart action except the country youth has a slower beat. He lacks the vigor so necessary in all walks of life, especially in athletics.

"The country boy is poor in posture. He rarely stands straight and, if you ask him to he rarely ever knows how. He lacks the proper control of the muscles and also the knowledge of the fundamental facts in physical education. The inability to stand straight is due many times to the curvature of the spine, due to hard work in early boyhood.

"Under the present conditions the country boy lacks the initiative. They also lack confidence in themselves. The city boy gains confidence by training. The rural lad is just as healthy as the town boy, but he cannot rank in physical competition with the city boy.

"The boy from the country is usually round shouldered and flat chested. The city boy usually is trained in some degree in athletics and, consequently, when he comes here he is well developed physically. The farmer boy who has never had a chance comes here with brute strength in his back and arm muscles. Thus he is awkward and cannot hope to become as nearly the perfect man as the city boy."

A remarkable thing about Shrader is that one side is almost the counterpart of the other. His right arm is practically the same size as his left from every angle of measurement. The only differences are one-tenth of an inch between his right and left hand and three-tenths between the muscles, contracted, of his upper arms. This condition, according to Chester L. Brewer, physical director, is exceedingly rare.

Shrader's measurements that approach perfection:

Girths—Head, 22.2; neck, 14.6; chest, forced inspiration, 39.5; chest, normal, 37, chest forced expiration, 35; waist, 29.5; hips, 37.5; right thigh, 22; right knee, 14.5; right calf, 14; right ankle, 8.2; left leg, the same; right hand, 8.5; left hand, 8.4; right arm, contracted, 13.3; upper arm, normal, 11.4; right elbow, 10.3; right forearm, 10.9; right wrist, 6.4; left arm, the same, with the exception of the upper arm, contracted, which is 13 inches, or three-parts of an inch less than the girth of the right arm.

Depths—Chest, forced inspiration, 20.5; chest, forced expiration, 18.5; waist, 18.2; length of legs, 32.

Breadths—Chest forced inspiration, 11.1; forced expiration, 10.3; hips, 13.1; arms, tip to tip, 70.25.

TO LECTURE HERE.

Rev. Henry M. Baker of Hopkins to Give Address at Christian Church on Friday Evening.

Rev. Henry M. Baker of the Christian church of Hopkins is to give a lecture in Maryville on Friday evening at 8 o'clock at the First Christian church, under the auspices of the Endeavor society. Rev. Baker's subject will be "Among the Mysterious." The admittance fee will be 25 and 15 cents.

Rev. Baker will also give an address to the high school students at assembly hour Friday morning, and will also talk to the Normal students at the chapel hour.

SOLD TO DR. POLLARD.

Dr. J. A. Larrabee of Barnard Has Disposed of His Practice for Special Study in Kansas City.

Dr. J. A. Larrabee of Barnard has disposed of his practice to Dr. D. A. Pollard of that place, who had about completed arrangements for his removal to Guilford, and will go to Kansas City for special study and hospital practice. Dr. Larrabee, we understand, will spend one or two days of each week in Barnard to care for some special cases he has. The business deal between the physicians will take effect March 1st.

BARNARD.

The city library committee met Monday evening to plan for the purchasing of new bookcases. Every indication is that the library plan is going to work O. K.

Rev. Royston is back from Oklahoma and has thrown away his crutches. He is now able to go about his work again and will preach in Barnard Sunday, both morning and evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Rasco gave a social at their home for several of the young people Thursday evening. There were seventeen present, and popcorn and taffy pulling was the order of the evening. Everyone reported a good time.

Mr. John A. Field had a stock sale Tuesday at his farm, southwest of town. The Ladies' Aid society of the M. E. church served the lunch and made $20.

Mr. F. H. Badger has purchased a piece of property in the northwest part of town and will move into it soon.

Mr. Charles Humberd has sold his team and is now depending upon the livery stable for horses to do Uncle Sam's business.

Isaac Price, who is almost 99 years of age, is reported very poorly at this time.

The Sunday schools at Barnard are having a time discussing Noah and his ark. They have been trying to find the Scriptural proof for every piece of material used in connection with the ark.

On Three Month's Trip to Idaho.

Mrs. Charles Daggett and two little children left Thursday morning for a three months' visit with Mr. Daggett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Daggett, at Coeur d'Alene, Idaho. The Doggett family left Maryville six years ago and located in Coeur d'Alene. Charles Daggett is a barber of this city.

Was a Good Sale.

The public sale of George B. Baker & Co., held on the Baker farm Wednesday, was a good one and good prices were received for the stock and other articles sold. The top price received on cattle was one cow which brought $82. R. P. Hosmer was the auctioneer.

Visited Sick Sister.

Mrs. P. L. Chaney of Osceola, Mo., who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. T. Hays, left for her home Thursday morning. Mrs. Hays has been ill for some time, and although considerably improved, requires the care of a trained nurse.

Returned to Topeka.

Mrs. A. T. Potts returned to her home in Topeka, Kan., Thursday morning from a few days' visit with Mrs. Nora Willits, who is very ill. Mrs. Potts stopped in Maryville on her way home from a visit to her mother in Washington, Ind.

Here on Shopping Tour.

Sister Aloysia, Sister Mildred, Sister Gerarda, Sister Ramana, Sister Techala of St. Benedictine convent of Clyde and Miss Teresa Conway and Miss Agnes Droste, students of St. Joseph's academy at Clyde were shopping in Maryville Thursday.

Mrs. W. G. Murray accompanied her daughter, Mrs. W. B. Hoskins, to her home in St. Joseph Thursday morning to spend the remainder of the winter.

Mrs. B. T. Ferguson of Burlington Jun... as in Maryville Thursday o...

Latest Postcards 1 cent each at Crane's

WORK AS A UNIT

INCORPORATION JOINS GROUP OF INDIVIDUALS IN COMPACT BODY.

FOR A BETTER SERVICE

Other Towns Have Heard and Heeded the Demand and J. R. Evans Asks That Maryville Be Not Behind.

Editor Democrat-Forum:—In discussing this subject I will take up the negative side first, as there is so little argument for it, and it can be so easily disposed of. The main arguments advanced against incorporation are: The expense of incorporating and the taxation levied on an incorporation.

In regard to the first, the expense of having a corporation of $10,000.00 recorded is $50.00 and $10.00 for each succeeding $10,000.00 plus an attorney's fee. We would need to incorporate for about $10 000.00 and allowing a reasonable sum to an attorney, it would cost nôt to exceed $75.00, probably less, or about 11 cents per phone.

The second objection, taxation, is of about as little consequence as the cost of incorporation. In assessing corporations in this state, the corporation is listed at one-fourth of its valuation, and the taxes are $3.48 per hundred dollars, or in plain language, it would cost us in taxes from 10 cents to 15 cents per phone, per year. This expense plus the expense of incorporating would be about 25 cents per phone for the first year and 10 cents to 15 cents per phone in succeeding years. These are the arguments against incorporation in a nut shell.

When we turn to the reasons why we should incorporate we find a number of very important ones.

First—Incorporation is th means provided by the laws of our state by which a group of individuals may be so bound and associated together that their actions and strength is as though they were a unit. Any and all obligations of the corporation will fall equally upon the share holders or in proportion to the number of shares that the individual may hold. In a company such as we now are, instead of each phone holder being equally responsible for the obligations of the company, a few individuals, possibly the board of directors, are held personally responsible for such obligations. In case of a big damage suit, which might occur at any time, the board, or possibly a few of the wealthy patrons could be compelled to become the defendants, instead of each and every patron bearing his portion of the load. It is manifestly unfair, in a mutual company, at least, where no one receives any benefit more than another, to ask a few members to carry the risk which should fall upon each one alike.

Then in regard to serviee. We find that as our system becomes older and larger its management becomes more complex. There is a demand for a better and more prompt service. More lines connecting our board with surrounding towns are required, the patrons' lines and phones must be kept in repair. Thus it is self-evident that the organization should be in a position to take action without delay, to be responsible for its actions, and to move as a unit. This can only be accomplished when we are bound together in a lawful manner. When improvements can be undertaken, and expenses incurred without too much personal responsibility. Incorporation is the only solution.

We come to the most important reason as to why we should incorporate when we consider our future. The fact that we have 700 mutual phones in and surrounding Maryville and about 4,000 in Nodaway county is sufficient evidence of the demand for our system. But how will it be in the future? We are not bound together as a unit, but are as so many separate parts, having agreed for the present to work together. There is nothing to prevent the organization, any day, from going to pieces, in fact any serious trouble might, and probably would leave us entirely disorganized and without a phone. Hence it becomes imperative that we take steps to insure our continuation and permanency.

Under incorporation the cost of service will be no greater than at present, except as better service is given; and in any case the cost will be no greater than is absolutely required to give good telephone service, the thing which is being demanded more and more by nearly everyone at the present time.

The demand is for a better service. Skidmore has heard it, Graham and Maitland have heard it. The other towns are waking up. Shall Maryville, the hub for the bug-a-boo of about 25 cents per phone, go on as we now are, with poor service, due to lines being down, phones out of repair, weak batteries, etc. An insufficient number of connecting wires, (in some instances none) personal responsibility, and a loose organization liable to go to pieces at any time?

Let us all get together the 15th of February, 1913, and vote, unanimously, to incorporate and thus close the chapter of incompetency and begin a period of greater usefulness for our Mutual telephone system.

J. R. EVANS,
Secretary of the Board of Directors of the Maryville line.

What Happened 43 Years Ago

Interesting Items Taken From The Democrat Files.

Home Enterprise and Progress—It is refreshing once in a while to turn from the sickening spectacle presented by the gangrenous monstrosity which radicalism has made of American politics, and survey the progress which our noble old county is making in wealth, enterprise and enlightenment in spite of all the drawbacks which the ruling party has placed upon improvement and advancement in all parts of the west.

Within the last twelve months we have seen a railroad, the first within our county, pushed to our geographical and commercial center, the city of Maryville. We have seen our agricultural products nearly doubled over those of any previous year. We have seen our population increased forty per cent. We have seen fifteen or twenty new and improved school buildings and churches erected in various parts of the county. We have seen upwards of fifty thousand acres of wild land, for centuries heretofore the stamping ground of the buffalo, the elk, deer, wolf, and the wild savage, improved and brought into cultivation and made to teem with the productions of civilization. * * * Yet, with all our progress we have not improved all our opportunities for further advancement. We have defeated a great proposition for internal improvement. * * * * We have yet unbounded confidence that our county will encourage the building of the two great lines of railroad that are presenting their claims to us.

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Some of the firms advertising were: J. R. Ford and J. E. Alexander, groceries, boots and shoes; J. M. Black, patent building paper; Leeber & Michau, dealers in dry goods and groceries; Crane & Hastings, books and stationery; C. Baker, groceries; Wright & Jones, staple and fancy dry goods, groceries, etc.; Kuenster & Kraen, clothing; Kelley & Graves, saddles and harness; Beard, Hudson & Co., hardware; H. A. Avery, farm wagons, etc.; Mulholland, Ellis & Co., drugs; Mrs. Mollie J. Blair, millinery and fancy goods; L. C. Evans & Co., grocers and provision dealers; De Leuws, drug store; Chicago Lumber yard, J. C. Waterman & Co.; Garrett & Robinson, hardware; Ben Torrance, groceries; Rush's Emporium, shoes and boots.

Returning to Lamar.

Miss Anna Byrnes left for Lamar, Mo., Thursday morning to resume her millinery business there, after a several weeks' visit in Maryville with her sister, Mrs. Aaron Felix. Miss Byrnes accompanied Miss Ella Roney to Kansas City and will spend a few days there before going to Lamar.

Fr. Placidas a Notary Public.

Fr. Placidas of the Conception Abbey is a notary public, his commission arriving in Maryville Thursday from Jefferson City. The commission was issued by Gov. Elliott W. Major. Joseph R. Allen of this city was also commissioned a notary public.

Miss Edith Cunningham and Miss Nina Cunningham of Fairfax were in Maryville Thursday on their way to Hopkins to visit Frank Knowles and family.

On and after Feb. the 15th
We Will Sell for
CASH O...
Those owing us w... and settle.
H. ...

Alderman Dry Goods Co.
... WEST THIRD STREET ... MARYVILLE, MO.
ANNUAL
...ant Sale
The major... have been rather abr... chores! In the morni... the soul of childhood lies... nday and the clear, expectant ... y. ...ol out till supper, from ... Three. ...e—something more th...

HOW IT STARTED

THE BEGINNING OF THE COUNTY ADVISOR MOVEMENT.

WORKING ORGANIZATION

A Council of One Man From Each Township and Sub-Council With Men From School Districts.

Since Nodaway county is thinking somewhat of employing a county advisor, an article written by S. M. Jordan, the advisor of Pettis county on how the plan started in that county, the first county to have an advisor in the state, might be of interest to our readers. Mr. Jordan says:

"Some time in March, 1912, perhaps, we were holding an institute in Sedalia, and the president and secretary of the Sedalia Boosters' club were present and listened to the addresses and were especially impressed at the questions asked by the farmers and their anxiety for information. On returning to the club rooms they concluded that "Pettis county needs these men, not for a day or two in the year, but we need them all the year."

"As a result of this conclusion they called the writer and asked him to come up to the club rooms, and in a short time the objects of the "call" were made known, and they asked me if I would consider a proposition to put my entire time in Pettis county, to which I made reply that I would think it over. I made a hurried survey of the possibilities of what a person in such a position may do, and of its ultimate results, and knowing of nation wide movement in this same direction, I gave a tentative proposition, which they accepted. A subscription list was started. I cautioned these men to know they were taking entirely legal steps, as no complications were desired. The movement was new, was costing a little money, hence there will be some who will not approve, so we must be on the safe side. The Nelson law, section 761-6, Revised Statutes of Missouri, 1899, seemed to give full authority for the county court to help in paying the salary, so $1,500 was appropriated by the court. The city school board was called together and that body gave $600 in consideration of weekly lectures to the high school, and $900 was raised by private subscription from farmers and business men.

"In addition to the $3,000 a year, an office is furnished, together with stenographic help, stationery, postage, etc. This was done without any outside aid.

"Mr. Bert Ball, secrettary of the crop improvement committee of the American grain exchange in Chicago, offered to give our fund $1,000, and the gift was accepted. Subsequent to this we made up our minds that much more good could be done by entering into a fuller co-operation with the department of agriculture of the University of Missouri, and with the national government, and under the plans of the university the state will pay one-fourth of the county advisor's salary, so this puts $750 a year in our fund.

"It was concluded to form an organization, to be incorporated under the name of the Pettis county bureau of agriculture. The working force of the bureau is designated as the advnsory council, and is composed of two representatives from each of the seventeen townships of the county and six additional officers; as a sub-council there are appointed three members in each school district, whose duties will be to aid in carrying out the plans of the advisory council. This advisory council meets at the court house on the last Saturday of each month for the transaction of such business as may be presented. The suggestion is here offered that behind each one of these county bureaus or organizations the commercial club or some similar body get behind the movement and so remain as an impelling force and for counsel."

Returned From Funeral.

Mrs. Emma Cloud, Mrs. H. E. Young of Kansas City Mrs. C. A. Ramsay of Peetz, Col.; Mrs. Marshall Davis of St. Joseph and Mrs. Charles Carter of Albany have returned to Maryville from Clearmont, where they attended the funeral services on Wednesday afternoon of Mrs. Elizabeth Wallace. The funeral services were to have been held Tuesday afternoon, but were delayed because Mrs. Ramsay failed to receive the message of her mother's death in time to reach Clearmont before Wednesday. Mrs. Young expects to return home Friday, while Mrs. Carter and Mrs. Davis returned Thursday evening.

Visiting in St. Joseph.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward M. Walker went to St. Joseph Thursday for a short visit with Mr. Walker's sister, Mrs. Lewis C. Allen, and family. Mr. Walker will also invest in some stock for the farm.

HOUSE DESTROYED BY FIRE.

Residence of E. Everist, Living Three Miles Northwest of Maryville, Burned to the Ground.

The seven-room farm house of E. Everist, living three miles northwest of Maryville, was totally destroyed by fire about 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. It is thought the fire started from a defective flue. About half of the household goods was also burned. There was no insurance on the dwelling.

ISSUED LICENSE TO KANE.

Court Gave Dramshop License for Another Period of Six Months.

The county court issued Thursday morning a saloon license to John Kane for a period of six months. The saloon petition had the required number of signers and it was imperative on the court to issue the license.

HOPKINS.

Mrs. Andrew Mosley and Mrs. Osmond Mosley left last Saturday for Chicago, where the former will remain indefinitely to visit her brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Skinner of Bedford returned home Saturday noon after a visit with Ira Rankin and family.

Harmon McMaster and wife returned Saturday noon from a visit in Maryville.

Judge Sayler of Maryville was in Hopkins last week on business.

Rolla Fleming is now assistant operator at the depot.

Mr. and Mrs. Sol Newmeyer went to Bolckow last week for a visit with Mr. Newmeyer's niece.

Miss Lois Remington was a Bedford visitor last week.

The Misses Hayes are here from Essex, Ia., for a visit with their parents. They will go from here to St. Joseph to the millinery wholesale house.

Mr. McCleve and son Ed, Ira Gray, Joe Andrews and a number of other men attended the horse sale at Bedford.

Misses Bess Burch, Chloe Jeffers and Della Nash were Bedford visitors last Saturday between trains.

James Applegate and wife of Omaha visited here a few days last week. They came to see Mr. Applegate's sister, Mrs. Jess Melick, who is very sick with tuberculosis.

Mr. Cook of the Maryville Business college was in Hopkins on business last Saturday.

Mr. C. A. Wolfers and daughter and Mrs. Roy Wolfers were Hopkins visitors Monday afternoon.

Mrs. William Bram was called to Colorado Springs last Monday by the illness of Mrs. Cliff Goodson. Mrs. Goodson was operated on Monday for appendicitis.

The Starland theater will give a special program Friday night, all receipts to be given to Mrs. Connett, the blind lady. Saturday night the Temple theater will give a benefit performance.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Mutti returned Friday night from a visit with relatives in California, Mo.

Mrs. S. J. Yeomans returned Monday from a visit with her son Fred of Maryville.

J. B. Thompson of Bedford came down to see his new grandson Tuesday morning.

Miss Della Nash, Bess Burch and Chloe Jeffers were Maryville visitors Saturday evening.

Guy Crossan of Waterloo, Ia., is here visiting his sister, Mrs. Wid Holmes.

Mrs. Arthur Ditto is here from Maryville visiting old friends.

Dick Livasy is visiting his brother Lew at St. Joseph.

The Art club met last week with Mrs. Fred Monroe, and a large number of the members were present. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Wolfers entertained the Whist club last week. A most enjoyable evening was spent.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McMaster entertained Misses Lou Hughes, Cleo Kime and Edna Bonewitz and Messrs. Ted and Charles Jackson and E. C. Apple at dinner Sunday. A very enjoyable time is reported.

Miss Jennie Hibbert Claver died at the home of her step-father, J. M. Claver, Monday morning, after nineteen years of sickness and suffering. At the age of 6 years she fell from a building and remained an invalid till the time of her death. She was educated in a convent and skilled in the finest needlework. This fall she made handbags of beads and muskmelon seeds,and almost endless task, and assisted in supporting herself by her work. Rev. Baker of the Christian church had charge of the services, which were held at the late home. Interment in Hopkins cemetery.

The Toggery Team Won.

The Toggery shop team won two games out of three from the Regulars Wednesday night at the Veo alleys. Sheldon had high ... for the three games ... score of 181 ... play the night.

BOARD ALL RIGHT

LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE SAY CHARGES ARE UNFOUNDED.

HENS CAN GO ON LAYING

Secretary Quisenberry and Poultry Board Exonerated by Committee of Which Craig Was Head.

The investigation carried on by a joint committee from the house and senate at Jefferson City in regard to charges against the state poultry board and its secretary, T. E. Quisenberry, found that they are totally unwarranted.

Senator Anderson Craig, who was chairman of the committee, in writing to The Democrat-Forum today, says:

"The letters that have come to me indicate that a number of Nodaway county people are much interested in the investigation of the poultry board management. The enclosed report was adopted by a unanimous vote.:

"'We, the joint committee of the senate and the house of representatives on agriculture, to which was referred a resolution preferring charges against the state poultry board and its secretary, T. E. Quisenberry, beg leave to report that we have fully investigated the same and find that they are totally unwarranted in fact, and fully exonerate the board and its secretary of such charges and heartily commend the efficient manner in which Mr. Quisenberry has conducted the affairs under his charge.

"'Respectfully submitted.

"'ANDERSON CRAIG,

"'Chairman.'"

IMPROVING THE DEPOT.

Station House at Clyde is Being Made More Presentable These Days With Paint and Such.

A new roof is being placed on the Wabash railway's passenger depot at Clyde, also new doors and windows, and a coat of paint all around, that makes everything look decidedly well. This is now one of the best points on the road for a good many miles, with the daily output of grain shipments from the hardware firm of Graham & Proctor and the daily receipt of a carload of building material for the new St. Joseph's academy at St. Benedictine convent at Clyde.

The foundation for this new school building was finished last fall and the work will be resumed as soon as good weather opens up in the spring. All the material is being assembled now so that the work cannot be hindered, when once begun, by lack of materials, as often happens in putting up a big building. The new school building will be three stories high and covers a ground space of 80x180 feet. The old building will be torn down. The new building will greatly enhance the property of St. Benedictine convent.

Death of Baby at Quitman.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Barnes of Kansas City are bereaved in the death of their 3 weeks old daughter, Beatrice Lillie, which occurred at Quitman Wednesday night. Mr. and Mrs. Barnes were called to Quitman a few days ago by the serious illness of Mr. Barnes' father, William Barnes. The funeral arrangements have not yet been made.

Kansas City Guest Leaves.

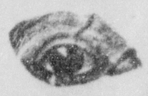
Mrs. W. R. Hall of Kansas City, who has been the guest of Mrs. Cleve Moyer a few days, went to Stanberry Thursday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Staley.

Lawrence Cummins was in Elmo Wednesday.

THE WEATHER

Generally fair tonight ... warmer tonight.

Do You Wear Glasses?



IF SO are you satisfied that they have been fitted to your eyes in a correct and proper manner?

HAVE THEY GIVEN YOUR EYES that relief which you expected they would?

ARE YOUR EYE MUSCLES following their natural laws as they should do with correctly ... Glasses?

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Township Collector.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for nomination for TOWNSHIP COLLECTOR, subject to the action of the Democratic township nominating convention.
MARION F. SMITH.

We are authorized to announce F. S. GRUNDY as a candidate for the nomination for Township Collector, subject to the action of the Democratic township nominating convention.

We are authorized to announce FRANK BOLIN as a candidate for the nomination for Township Collector subject to the action of the Democratic nominating convention.

White Cloud Township.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for tax collector of White Cloud township, subject to the decision of the Democratic township nominating convention.
S. B. WILLIAMS.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for tax collector of White Cloud township, subject to the decision of the Democratic township nominating convention.
RUFUS CAREY.

Today's Markets

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—6,000. Market steady. Estimate tomorrow, 2,000.

Hogs—27,000. Market a big 5 to 10c lower; top, $7.85. Estimate tomorrow, 25,000.

Sheep—12,000. Market 10c higher.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—2,500. Market steady.

Hogs—9,000. Market a big 5 to 10c lower; top, $7.60.

Sheep—4,000. Market 10c higher.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—1,600. Market steady.

Hogs—10,000. Market a big 5 to 10c lower; top, $7.60.

Sheep—4,000. Market 10c higher.

Amoma Class Market Saturday.

The Amoma class of the First Baptist church Sunday school will hold a market at Price & McNeal's store all day Saturday. There will be lots of good things to eat for your Sunday dinner, and there will be some articles of fancy work for sale, too. 6-7

Selected on Visiting Committee.

R. Bruce Montgomery was appointed chairman of the visiting committee of the Owls to take the place of W. A. Miller, who resigned.

Miss Blanche Moore went to St. Joseph Thursday to visit friends until Friday.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.
NAT. BANK OF COMMERCE,
Toledo, Ohio.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

News of Society and Womens' Clubs

P. E. O. Meeting Saturday.

The P. E. O. chapter will meet Saturday afternoon at the home of Miss Mary Evans instead of Mrs. C. C. Corwin, as announced in the year book.

Married by Rev. Cox.

Joseph Cooper and Miss Mary Hargin of Conway, Ia., were married at 6 o'clock Wednesday evening by Rev. Gilbert S. Cox pastor of the First M. E. church of this city, at the parsonage.

Married in Savannah.

Mrs. Maggie Walts of Guilford and A. W. Kennedy of St. Joseph were united in marriage Thursday in Savannah. They will make their home in St. Joseph. The bridegroom is a retired farmer. The bride is the widow of the late J. H. Walts, who was a poultry dealer of Guilford.

Married at the Linville.

Miss Mary VanFossen of Barnard and Mr. Frank Anderson of Guilford were united in marriage Thursday afternoon in the Linville hotel parlors, the Rev. J. D. Randolph performing the ceremony. Both young people are well known in the Barnard vicinity and are highly esteemed. They will live on a farm east of Barnard. The young couple were accompanied by Miss Golda Adcock.

The Hum Drums Ate Waffles.

Miss Mildred Robinson entertained the girls of the Hum Drum club at a waffle supper Wednesday evening. The Hum Drums have had nearly every kind of a dinner and supper and breakfast in the catalogue yet, but the hostess has the honor of serving the first waffle supper. After supper the club held a real business meeting of such import that nobody knows what it was about so far. To relieve themselves of the severe tension Miss Robinson escorted her guests to the picture show at the Empire.

Married at Grand Island.

The following clipping from the Daily Independent of Grand Island, Neb., appeared in its issue of Friday, January 31, gives the date of the marriage of Miss Helen Ford and Mr. Glade Bradley of Maryville, who left Maryville last Thursday for Grand Island, and will be of interest to the friends of the young couple in this city.

"Glade T. Bradley and Miss Helen Ford, both of Maryville, Mo., secured a marriage license early this morning and were married by Rev. J. R. Gettys at the First M. E. church parsonage. They plan to make their home in this city."

Program for C. W. B. M.

The C. W. B. M. of the First Christian church will meet Friday afternoon in the church parlors. The devotions will be led by Mrs. C. B. Roberts, who will lead the afternoon study of "Missionary Books and Literature." The following is the program:

"The Value of Missionary Stories and Books," Mrs. J. W. Ray and Mrs. R. E. Snodgrass.

"The Value of Missionary Literature," by Mrs. R. L. McDougal.

"The Book of Books," by Mrs. James B. Robinson.

"Book Review," by Mrs. C. J. Miller.

Sketch of life of Judson, by Mrs. Henry Pierpoint.

Sketch of life of Robert Moffitt, by Mrs. McDougal.

Sketch of life of John Paton, by Mrs. A. C. Hopkins.

"Hidden Answers," by Mrs. A. T. Fisher.

Roll call, name some missionary book.

Business session.

DR. A. T. FISHER
Chronic Diseases. Eye Diseases
Pterygium, Cataract, Spectacles
Maryville Nat'l Bank Bldg.
MARYVILLE, MO.

Little Dan Mowrey, the 6-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Womrey of Graham, is very sick.

CITIES WANT UTILITY BILL

State Commission Demanded by the Public, Atkinson Says.

LAST PUBLIC HEARING ON BILL

Jefferson City, Feb. 6.—A demand was coming from nearly every city, large or small, in Missouri, for the passage of the public service commission bill, John M. Atkinson, private secretary to Governor Major, told a joint meeting of the house and senate committees. The cities, Atkinson said, had found themselves powerless to regulate their utility corporations through local commissions and now wanted a state commission with a strong corps of technical experts and powers to enforce its findings. The city commissions, he said, had been failures.

The administration utilities bill, he said, would abolish any local commissions that might now exist in the state. General Atkinson said an elective commission had not proved a success in other states.

The meeting was the last public hearing on the bill. The house and senate committees have appointed a subcommittee to go over a number of minor amendments submitted by the railroads. It is expected the committees will report the bill early next week.

BORN TO WED EACH OTHER

Two St. Louis Babies Will Be Reared in Betrothal.

St. Louis, Feb. 6.—Miss Clara Carter Mallett, five days old, and Mallett Carter, the same age, were betrothed the day they were born, but haven't found it out yet. The Carter and Mallett families reside in a flat in East St. Louis, the Carters occupying the upstairs apartment and the Malletts the lower one.

The stork brought a boy to the Carter household. Four hours later the bird returned with a daughter for Mr. and Mrs. Mallett. The parents had planned that if a boy came to one home and a girl to the other the children would be betrothed. Both couples are Americans and believe by close association their young heirs will form a fondness which will unite the families.

"DR. F. W. LANOIX" GUILTY

Three to Five Years in Prison for Killing a Woman, Jury Says.

Kansas City, Feb. 6.—Five minutes was all the time required by a Wyandotte county district court jury to decide that J. M. Martin, alias Dr. F. W. Lanoix, was guilty of second degree manslaughter for the death of Mrs. Florence May Crowley. The jury was unanimous on the first ballot. The penalty for that offense is three to five years. "Lanoix" performed a criminal surgical operation on Mrs. Crowley on the Kansas side Oct. 28 of last year. She died nine days later.

Hecker Repeats Statement.

Denver, Feb. 6.—"Twenty women to one man in Denver drink intoxicating liquor and they drink more than men." This was the statement made on the floor of the Colorado senate by Senator John Hecker of Denver. It followed a vigorous attack by Mrs. Helen Ring Robinson, Colorado's first woman senator, upon a statement published in a Washington newspaper and attributed to Hecker, to the effect that "women in Denver drink more highballs than men."

Senator Robinson denounced the quoted statement as an insult to the women of Colorado and threatened to move the expulsion of Hecker from the senate if it should be repeated.

Wilson Will Visit St. Louis in April.

St. Louis, Feb. 6.—President elect Wilson, in a letter to David R. Francis, president of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition company, has indicated that he will attend the dedication of the Jefferson memorial here April 20. "It would be a great loss to me if I could not be present," he said. "It would be almost a duty for a Democratic president to take part in such exercises."

Fined for Watering Milk.

St. Joseph, Mo., Feb. 6.—The campaign by the board of health for a better milk supply resulted in three convictions, one in the criminal court and two in the municipal court. One man was fined $100 for putting water in his milk and two were fined $10 each for selling milk below the standard. More arrests are promised.

Benteen's Divorce Suit Is Dismissed.

St. Louis, Feb. 6.—The divorce suit of Captain Frederick W. Benteen, Seventh United States infantry, against his Cuban wife, Maria Sasanova Benteen, was dropped in the circuit court here. Neither Captain Benteen nor his wife appeared when the case was called. It is believed there has been a reconciliation.

St. Louis Is After Balloon Event.

St. Louis, Feb. 6.—Efforts will be made by the Aero club of St. Louis to obtain for St. Louis the annual American elimination race for balloons. The races will be held in June to determine the three American bags to be entered in the Gordon Bennett cup race to be sailed in France in October.

Spring Line of E. W. Williams'
Work Shoes
Just Arrived

The E. W. Williams line of Shoes is the best line of Work and Dress Shoes manufactured. Every pair warranted from one end to the other.

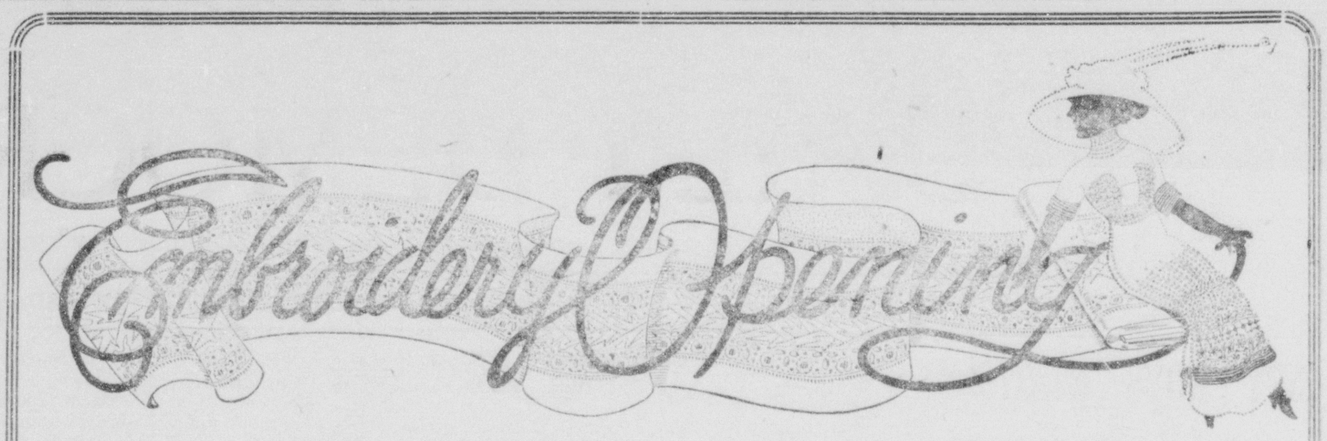
Price $2.00 and $3.00 per Pair

Remember we are exclusive distributors for THE BARRY SHOES. No Shoe sold in Maryville can equal them for style, ease and durability. Other dealers in Maryville have made strenuous efforts to handle ... Barry Company being honorable people, have forwarded ... and at the same time turned them down.

...ing the best and in so doing have the best of

...BAUM'S
...Men.

KESSLER'S
5, 10 and 25 cent Store
Blue and White Enamelware Sale
Saturday
Tea Kettles, Dishpans, Etc, 25c.



Our Annual White Goods Sale will Start

Saturday Morning, February 8

And will Continue for One Week

These sales are always looked forward to by the ladies of Maryville and vicinity. For this event we place on sale, at reduced prices, New Embroideries, Laces, Muslin Underwear and other items as are listed below. During this sale will be an opportune time to purchase your Spring and Summer needs in these lines, as fresh, clean merchandise has just been put in stock, and you will find assortments in every line more complete now than at any other time of the year. We have bought heavy for this sale, anticipating a big demand for this class of material this season. We believe we have the styles you wish—in the material you like—at the price you want to pay.

Embroideries

Our Embroidery Department just received the finest assortment of Embroidered Materials in its history. Come and inspect these beautiful goods which we are putting on sale at prices that are extremely moderate. You will be delighted with the dainty and original designs in Allovers, Flouncings, Galloons, and get many ideas for lingerie dresses, shirt waists, underwear, children's frocks, etc. The earlier you come the larger will be the selection.

The vogue of embroidery is as certain as the day. The coming of spring, as always, heralds embroideries' greater uses. The remolding of style merely expresses the human desire for change. No whim of fashion can displace this beautiful trimming for spring and summer dresses, as well as the many other uses for which it is made to serve. This department needs no introduction to our customers, as those who have attended our previous sales know the class of merchandise we sell, and we can assure you it is well up to the standard this year. Every piece reduced in price.

A Special in—

Handkerchiefs

We just received 30 dozen of a special number in Ladies' Handkerchiefs that we are selling for 15c, 2 for 25c, that is the best value we have ever seen for the price. Ask to see and buy some of these during our sale.

Muslin Underwear

You will find a splendidly stocked Muslin Underwear Department this season at our store. Our showing will merit your every consideration. The impression that seems to prevail with some is that ready-made muslin underwear does not fit and that they can buy the material and make it cheaper than they can buy it ready made, but we do not believe this is true in all cases. We have had splendid success with our line of Muslin Underwear. We know it is modestly priced, and as to the fit, we have had no complaints at all. The garments are just as well made as you can make them yourself, and why not save this extra labor when you can. During this sale you will find it very profitable to visit this department. Reduced prices on every garment.

Muslins, Sheetings and Tubings Reduced

10-4 Bleached Sheetings.....27c
9-4 Bleached Sheetings.....25c
8-4 Bleached Sheetings.....23c
7-4 Bleached Sheetings.....21c
10-4 Unbleached Sheetings.....25c
9-4 Unbleached Sheetings.....23c
45-inch Pillow Tubing, worth 22c, for.....19c
42-inch Pillow Tubing, worth 25c, for.....21c
42-inch Pillow Tubing, worth 20c, for.....17c
36-inch Pillow Tubing.....15c
36-inch Cambrics reduced ten per cent
Hope Muslin.....8½c

Laces

This season will break all records in the use of Laces. Last season the demand was the greatest the dry goods business has ever known—and the prediction is now that Laces will be used almost exclusively for trimming again this season. Our stock includes good assortments of Val Laces, Torchons, Linen Laces, Bands, Allovers, Edges and Points, at prices to suit all.

Reduced Prices on—

India Linons, Nainsooks and Longcloths

35c values reduced to.....28c
30c values reduced to.....22c
25c values reduced to.....19c
20c values reduced to.....15c
15c values reduced to.....11c
12½c values reduced to.....9c
10c values reduced to.....8c

All plain White Cotton Goods, such as Flaxons, Cotton and Linon Suitings, Poplins, Dimities, Swisses and Lawns reduced TEN PER CENT.

New Materials

In Wool and Cotton Fabrics are now being shown by us. If you admire pretty things to wear and demand quality and style in the materials you buy you will be pleased with our showing. The beautiful fabrics we are showing will help you to solve your spring dress problem. Easter comes early this year, so don't put your buying off too long.

Table Linens and Napkins

Be Sure of Quality when You Buy Table Linens.

Do you know how to be sure that the linens you buy are good? Buy HUMIDOR Linens—they are always good. We will sell during this sale our

$2.00 Values at.....$1.65
$1.50 Values at.....$1.25
$1.25 Values at.....$1.00
$1.00 Values at.....82c
90c Values at.....75c
65c and 75c Values at.....55c
50c Values at.....42c

All Grades of Napkins Reduced 10 per cent.

D... VERSOLE & SON

FRIDAY IS
Bargain Day
At TOWNSEND'S

You should do your best and biggest buying where quality is precedent to all other considerations. We at all times sell the best goods the market affords. Yet we are in position to make price concessions that are marvelous.

25 lbs bright new Prunes for.....$1.00
25c pkgs Quaker Graham Flour....16c
Genuine White Clover Honey, 2 frames for.....35c
5c bars Hershey's Almond or Milk Chocolate, 8 for.....25c
Very fancy Florida Grape Fruit, mammoth size, 3 for 25c; medium size, 4 for.....25c
Extra fancy quality Apples, selected, large sound fruit, per barrel...$2.90
Large bunches Crisp Lettuce.....5c
3 lbs choice Unroasted Peanuts...25c

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* Another 500 package lot of ex- *
* tra Fancy Seeded Raisins at, per *
* pkg.....5c *
* 1,000 pkgs Griffen's Finest Seed- *
* less Raisins, bleached and cap *
* stemmed; best Raisins obtainable. *
* Each package full 16-oz weight; *
* worth 15c, at, per pkg.....7c *
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HERE IS A PRICE ON THE BEST PINK SALMON YOU EVER HAD:
1-lb tall cans Fancy Pink Salmon, worth and usually sold at 2 for 25c, on sale tomorrow at 2 for.....15c
A killing price on REX LARD. Government inspected and branded absolutely pure hog lard—
10-lb pail.....$1.22
5-lb pail.....63c
3-lb pail.....38c
CUDAHY'S WHITE RIBBON COMPOUND LARD—
50-lb pails.....$3.99
3-lb pails, 2 for.....55c
Potatoes—Choice smooth White Burbanks that will cook mealy and dry; per peck.....15c
1-lb bricks Boneless Codfish, 2 for 15c
Circle brand Chase & Sanborns 28c 1-lb pkg Coffee cut to, per lb...25c
5 gals Perfection Coal Oil for.....45c
5 gals Palacine Coal Oil, 20c grade, for.....75c
5 gals Crown Gasoline.....90c
Above prices on Oil and Gas does not include delivery.

The Townsend Co.
The Only Large Exclusive Cash Store in Northwest Missouri.

SEEDCORN

I am filling orders for Boone County White and Reid's Yellow Dent seed corn now. I have the good corn and a long list of winnings for this fall and winter. Price $2.25 and $2.50 per bushel. Order now. Don't wait.

M. C. THOMPSON,
One mile north of the K. C. Depot.
Farmers phone 3-11.

A SURE, QUICK COLD CURE—ACTS GENTLY.

Pape's Cold Compound Cures Colds and Grippe in a Few Hours—Contains no Quinine.

The most severe cold will be broken, and all grippe misery ended after taking a dose of Pape's Cold Compound every two hours until three consecutive doses are taken.

You will distinctly feel all the disagreeable symptoms leaving after the very first dose.

The most miserable headache, dullness, head and nose stuffed up, feverishness, sneezing running of the nose, sore throat, mucous catarrhal discharges, soreness, stiffness, rheumatism pains and other distress vanishes.

Take this wonderful Compound as directed, with the knowledge that there is nothing else in the world, which will cure your cold or end Grippe misery as promptly and without any other assistance or bad aftereffects as a 25-cent package of Pape's Cold Compound, which any druggist can supply—contains no quinine—belongs in every home—accept no substitute. Tastes nice—acts gently.—Advertisement.

Visiting in Kansas City.

Miss Ella Roney went to Kansas City Thursday morning for a few days' visit with Misses Fannie and Mollie Timmons and Mrs. J. O. Hiatt.

Salting Them Down.

There's trouble in store for the gent who never salts down a red cent, who looks upon cash as the veriest trash, for foolish extravagance meant. Since money comes easy today, he thinks 'twill be always that way, and he burns up the scads with the rollicking lads and warbles a madrigal gay. His dollars are drawn when they're due, and rather than salt down a few, he throws them, with jests, at the robin red breasts, with riotous hullabaloo. I look down the scurrying years—for I'm the descendant of seers, and the spendthrift descry when his youth is gone by an object of pity and tears. I see him parading the street, on weary and ring-boney feet, a-begging for dimes, for the sake of old times, to buy him some sauerkraut to eat. I see him abandoned and sick, his pillow a dornick or brick; and the peeler comes by with a vulcanized eye and swats him for luck with a stick. I see him when dying; he groans, but his anguish for nothing atones! And they cart him away in the dawn cold and gray, to the place where they bury cheap bones. Don't burn up your money, my friend; don't squander or foolishly lend; though you say it is dross and regret not its loss, it's a comfort and staff in the end.—Walt Mason.

Miss Ruth Hausner of Atchison, Kan., who has been spending a few days in Maryville with Misses Laura and Ora Barmann and Miss Charlotte Murrin, returned home Wednesday evening.

Father-Love.

We hear about a mother's love
In story and in song,
How stanch it is through thick and thin,
How sweet and pure and beautiful,
And every word is true.
But what about a father's love?
That claims some credit, too.

It's father delves the darksome mine,
And climbs the girders high,
And swings upon the scaffolding
Between the earth and sky.
It's father bends his aching back,
And bows his graying head,
To bear the burdens of the day,
And earn the children's bread.

For both must work and both must plan,
And do an equal share
To rear the little ones the Lord
Has trusted to their care.
All honor to the mother-love,
The universe it fills,
But when you praise it don't forget
That father pays the bills.
—Minna Irving in New York Times.

The Scotchman's Hint.

Sandy and his lads had been sitting together about half an hour in silence.

"Maggie," he said at length, "wasna I here on the Sawbath nicht?"

"Aye, Sandy, I daur say you were."

"An' wasna I here on Monday nicht?"

"Aye, so you were."

"An' I was here on Tuesday nicht, an' Wednesday nicht an' Thursday nicht, an' Friday nicht?"

"Aye, I'm thinkin' that's so."

"An' this is Saturday nicht, an' I'm here again?"

"Well, what for no? I'm sure ye're very welcome."

Sandy (desperately)—"Maggie, woman, dae ye no begin to smell a rat?"—Chicago Record-Herald.

Mrs. John Mahoney of East First street is dangerously ill at this writing.

Valentines

Only seven more days until Valentine Day. We still have a good assortment, and will be glad to show you our stock and prices.

HOTCHKIN'S Variety Store

Berney Harris Will Continue His Bargain Sale on

Men's Suits, Men's Overcoats, Boys' Suits, Boys' Overcoats

An assorted lot of Men's Suits, former prices $12.50 and $15.00, reduced to.....**$7.50**

A much larger assortment of Men's Suits, former prices $15.00, $18.00, $20.00, $25.00, $27.50, reduced to.....**$10.00**

Boys' Knee Suits
Ages 3 to 17 years.
Any of our $3.00 Suits @...$2.25

Boys' Knee Suits
Ages 3 to 17 years.
Any of our $6.50 Suits @...$5.00

Men's Overcoats
Former Price.....$27.50
SALE PRICE.....$18.90

Men's Overcoats
Former Price.....$16.50
SALE PRICE.....$11.90

Boys' Knee Suits
Any of our $4.00 Suits @...$3.00

Boys' Knee Suits
Any of our $7.50 Suits @...$6.00

Men's Overcoats
Former Price.....$22.50
SALE PRICE.....$16.90

Men's Overcoats
Former Price.....$13.50
SALE PRICE.....$9.65

Boys' Knee Suits
Any of our $5.00 Suits @...$3.75
(Except Blue Serges).

Boys' Knee Suits
Any of our $10.00 Suits @...$7.00

Men's Overcoats
Former Price.....$20.00
SALE PRICE.....$14.25

As we need the Overcoat space badly will include all our Blacks, Greys or Fancies—Long or Short Coats—Dress or Storm Collars.

☛ Berney will also give all an opportunity to compare the superiority of his *regular 15c grades of "Men's Black Cat Socks"* over the many cheap brands being sold in town at *"10c as bargains"* His entire line of *"15c Black Cat Socks," in any color at 10c pair.*

☛ Those wishing the finer grades of Silk Lisle finish or Mercerized will include in this sale *our 25c grades for 17½c.* On every 6 pairs bought in this sale you save 45c.

☛ Were it not for the unexpected arrival of so many new spring styles Berney Harris would not so slaughter such desirable merchandise as is included in the above.

☛ Why not help yourself reduce the high cost of living by getting in on this sale?

Lethe's River.

Is there a river where I may hide
The secrets of a life that's gone?
Is there a water where I may lose
Thoughts and deeds that have long been done?
Is there a place, as the poets say,
Where I may leave my childhood's hours?
Is there a stream in Africa's land
With such strange and mystical powers?

Would I bathe in those strange waters
If the tale were not a vain dream?
Would I lose the sweet life I have lived
Mid the waves of that fabled stream?
Would I forget the knowledge I've gained,
Truths instilled by the sages old?
Would I cast from my mind these rich gems,
More precious than silver or gold?

There are voices of magic music,
Sweet as Aeolian's harp strain;
There are sounds of weeping and wailing
That haunt us with their sad refrain;
There are touches of a hand that's gone,
That make the heart pulse and quiver;
There are smiles from a face that is dead—
Which we'd lose in Lethe's river.

I would not bathe in a stream like this
With all its mystic meaning fraught,
I would not lose from memory's store
A single word or deed or thought;
I would not break those golden links
That bind me now and forever;
I would not, I could not, I dare not,
Bathe in Lethe's slimy river.

LEE HARREL.
Liberty, Mo., July 10, 1891.

Doing the Chores.

A boy helped to plant fifty apple trees. "Beginning next month the borers must be hunted," said the father. "How often? How long?" asked the boy. "Once a month during the open seasons—for years. I'm going to leave it to you." Kneeling or half laying for hours in the rotting mulch, the boy dug and cut and wired out the small enemies—for years. He found that once a week was necessary in some periods. Boys went by to base ball and swimming. They called cheerily across the creek lot, but neither side spoke of his quitting to go. It was one of his chores. The new orchard was out of sight of the house. But letting a row go till next month, on bad days when ice storms were slanting in, did not occur to him. Many times he left a tree and a big root channeling borer, his staying power all drained out through the sore fingers, but came back the next day and the next. It was his chore. When the orchard was well into bearing and price, a wind storm destroyed two-thirds of it. The boy who dug the grubs has since bent patiently at the roots of some other things and seen them tend upward. Recently he bought those fifteen bounteous apple trees back into the family, and has started his boy on more trees and borers behind a wind break.

Chore laws are ancient, simple, and inexorable. Do the thing half feared or dreaded, at the time appointed, without being told again, as well as if the master stood alongside. Bring in the wood the same when the pile is icebound and go back after the dropped stick. Get the young cattle through the barway, though they break and go around you twelve times and again, and dark comes, and you are crying. Warm your fingers afterward. Don't tell.

The majority of American children have been rather abruptly bereft of chores! In the morning hours when the soul of childhood lies almost bare in the clear, expectant eyes, from school-out till supper, from supper to bedtime—something more than play is needed. Children feel this and wait, and prowl about for material of a stouter weave, something fibered with the full life roundabout and impending; and, adventuring unguided, they get knowledge and scars.

Organized play will not fill this gap in education. Manual training has limitations. But in every home lie neglected means of giving to its youth a strengthening and character making apportionment of the day's work.

Partly because of chores rural youth, despite increasing proportionate disadvantages, will go on regularly to the hard, high places. Land about a home means chores.—Collier's Weekly.

BOX SUPPER and DANCE

W. O. W. Hall Friday Evening, Feb. 7

Come out and have a good time.

Let Us Have a Look at Your Eyes

You may be having trouble that is caused from eye strain.

Our thorough routine examination with Mediaometer and trial case enable us to obtain results that make the use of glasses a pleasure.

All work guaranteed.

Baines Brothers
"Just a step past Main."

Cheap Goods are Sold Cheap

and are not guaranteed to the consumer.

We Guarantee Batavia Goods

Schumacher's

Home of Batavia Pure Food Goods.

FOR SALE

Boone County White seed corn, $2 a bushel. Black Texas seed oats, 40 cents a bushel.

Fresh cow, calf by side, $75.

Oakerson Bros.
Farmers' phone, Skidmore, 1-116.

This is the Way they Come Out of the

OLD TRUSTY

Strong, Healthy and Hungry.

This is the incubator that hatches 85 per cent of the fertile eggs. We carry in stock the 100, 150 and 200 egg sizes, also the brooders. You can get them from our store set up and in perfect condition, ready for setting, at factory prices and take no risk of their being broken.

SUNNY MONDAY

This is what you may have if you use the Sunshine Rotary Washer. Call and let us tell you why.

Galvanized Tubs, Boilers, Wringers and Ironing Boards. Mrs. Potts Nickel Plated Sad Irons at 75c per set.

We want your hardware business and will endeavor OUR VERY BEST to merit it.

H. C. BOWER, West Side Hardware

Alderman Dry Goods Co.
WEST THIRD STREET ✣ ✣ ✣ MARYVILLE MO.

Sale of Remnants and Odd Lots
Saturday, Monday and Tuesday

Invoice always reveals Remnants and Odd Lots in every department. These have all been combined in one Big Remnant Sale. You will find the tables on the main floor filled with these goods, all marked in plain figures, ready for your inspection.

Piece Goods ¼ and ½ Off

The following list of Piece Goods are marked from ¼ to ½ off:

SILKS—Some patterns large enough for waists and others with enough goods for dresses.

WOOL GOODS—In skirt and dress lengths—also Ginghams, Percales, Skirtings, Calicoes, Outing Flannels, Muslins and Wash Goods of all kinds. Also Draperies, Scrims, Nets and Cretonnes.

Coats and Suits
40 Ladies' and Misses' Warm, Winter Coats, a special lot on the main floor, for.....$1.98
8 carried-over Suits.....$3.95

Waists
Plain, Black Silk Waists, for middle aged and old ladies, $5.00 values, for.....$2.50

Wool Skirts $4.95
Extra Fine Wool Skirts in black and colors, values to $10.00, for.....$4.95

Lace 1c a Yard
2,000 yards of Lace, 1 and 2 inches wide, suitable for underwear and pillow cases. See lobby window.

Muslin Underwear
Half Price
Muslin, Long Cloth and Nainsook, Corset Covers, Gowns and Underwear, which have been slightly soiled by frequent handling, good values, half price.

Neckwear
All the odd lots in 50c neckwear for.....25c

Chamois Skins
25c grade for.....15c
19c grade for.....12c

Many Remn... de-partments are ... this

FOR SALE
Everything I Have Got

My beautiful home on South Main street, no better property in Maryville.

Three business houses, first 3 doors south of First National Bank. No better inside rental property.

My barn on East Side of Square, good rental property.

House and lot on East First street, good location.

No agents, no mortgage. See me.

J. A. FORD

FERN THEATRE
Four Reel Specia...

The Carl Ha... and gr... Wallace

700 PEOPLE; 300 HORSE... 14 ELEPHANTS; 200 PER... WHOLE CIRCUS FROM TH... TILL THE LOADING BE... FIVE SHOWS, 3 O'CLOCK... THE 17TH AND 18TH... O'CLOCK IN TH...
ADMISSION ... CHILDREN

Mr. and Mrs. ... of near Graham ... ors Thursday.

GROWS BEAUTIFUL, HEAVY HAIR, WE PROVE IT--25 CENT "DANDERINE"

DESTROYS DANDRUFF—STOPS FALLING HAIR—CLEANS AND INVIGORATES YOUR SCALP—DELIGHTFUL DRESSING.

To be possessed of a head of heavy, beautiful hair; soft, lustrous, fluffy, wavy and free from dandruff is merely a matter of using a little Danderine.

It is easy and inexpensive to have nice, soft hair and lots of it. Just get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine now—all drug stores recommend it—apply a little as directed and within ten minutes there will be an appearance of abundance; freshness, fluffiness and an incomparable gloss and lustre and try as you will you cannot find a trace of dandruff or falling hair; but your real surprise will be after about two weeks' use, when you will see new hair—fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—sprouting out all over your scalp—Danderine is, we believe, the only sure hair grower; destroyer of dandruff and cure for itchy scalp and it never fails to stop falling hair at once.

If you want to prove how pretty and soft your hair really is, moisten a cloth with a little Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair—taking one small strand at a time. Your hair will be soft, glossy and beautiful in just a few moments—a delightful surprise awaits everyone who tries this.—Advertisement.

A marriage license was issued Thursday afternoon to Frank C. Anderson of Guilford and Mary E. Vanfossan of Barnard.

Miss Leona Buttman of Barnard returned home Thursday evening from a week's visit with Mrs. W. F. Moyer.

A marriage license was issued Thursday to Chester I. Hartman of Great Falls, Mont., and Miss Eudora J. Cooper of Bolckow.

A marriage license was issued in St. Joseph Wednesday to Edward H. Seymour of Fairfax and Anna E. Dawson of Skidmore.

When in St. Joseph stop at Hotel Ryan (European), 313 South Sixth street. Steam heated. Rooms 50 cents to $1.00 per day.

SALE BILLS

A Specialty at the

Democrat-Forum

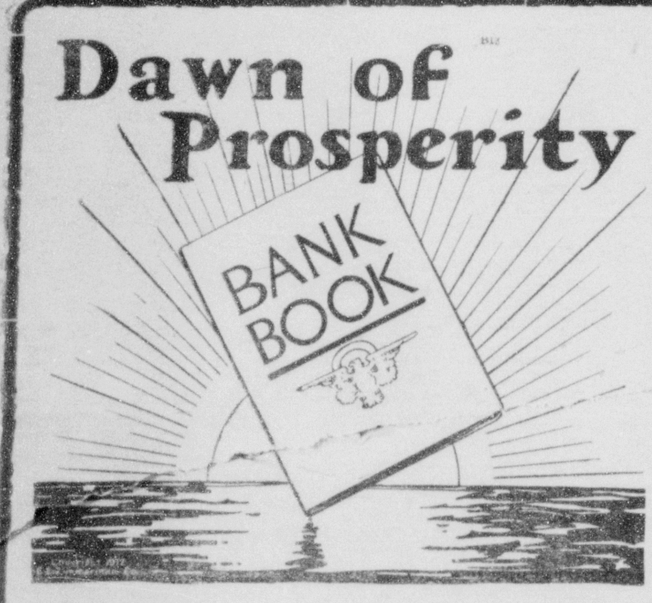
We're Fixed to Do Your Work

FOR SALE

Property at 1222 East Third street consisting of two lots, good five-room house, good cave, well, barn and wood shed, nice garden spot and fruit trees. The estate of Henry Myers.

ED MYERS, Administrator

Dawn of Prosperity



Your Prospect of Success Lies with Your Bank Account

The day you make your first deposit marks the beginning of your progress. It is the first real step toward independence. The man who spends all his income is speculating with the future. Everybody meets with some misfortune at some period and should conserve against that day. The young man in business who does not save, the business house that does not maintain a surplus, is unprepared for emergency. Start an account today.

NODAWAY VALLEY BANK

MARYVILLE, MISSOURI

Capital and Surplus - - - $122,000.00

CLOSING OUT SALE

At the W. A. Sewell farm, one mile east and three north of Graham, four miles east and three south of Skidmore, on

Monday, Feb. 10th.

at 10 a. m., will sell the following described property:

10 HEAD OF HORSES—1 team of mare coming six, weight about 2700; brown mare, 10 years old, weight 1350; 1 six year old mare; four coming 2-year-old colts; 1 coming 3-year-old filly; 1 spring colt.

6 HEAD OF CATTLE—3 cows; 3 spring steer calves.

5 brood sows and 30 fall shoats.

GRAIN AND HAY—400 bushels of corn, 16 tons of barn hay; 100 bushels of oats.

IMPLEMENTS—1 Newton wagon, nearly new; 1 buggy; 1 16-inch Moline sulky; 1 14-inch stirring plow; 1 St. Joe lister and drill combined, been used just one season; 1 Great Western lister and drill combined, 1 disc cultivator, 1 walking cultivator, 1 disc harrow, 1 disc go-devil, 1 2-section harrow, corn sheller, mowing machine, hay frame, 3 sets work harness, 1 set single harness, 1 saddle and other articles.

TERMS—$10 and under cash; over that amount a credit of 8 months time on a bankable note at 8 per cent interest. Lunch on ground.

H. P. Hosmer, Auctioneer.
J. M. Wilson, Clerk.

M. A. Sewell.

The E. W. Williams line of Shoes is ... Shoes manufactured. Every pair warra...

... SALE

Price $2.00 a ... per Pair

one mile south of Maryville, on

Feb. 8

Remember we are exclusive distributors for ... Shoe sold in Maryville can equal them for st... Other dealers in Maryville have made strenu... Barry Company being honorable pe... and at the same time turned them d... ing the best and in so doing have ...

property: 1 bay mare, smooth 7 years old, weight about ..., 1 Jersey heifer ...od sows, will pig ... cultivators, 1 ... 2 sets work ...ated carriage. ...t a credit of ...interest from

...BAUM'S

...GBY

VESSEL'S CREW DISAPPEARS

Bark Picked Up, Seaworthy, Provisioned and Fully Rigged.

NO CLUE TO MASTER OR SAILORS

British Steamer Picks Up Unusual Prize Ten Days Out of Port Arthur, Only to Lose It in Gale Off Cape Henry.

Newport News, Va., Feb. 6.—Another mystery of the deep, paralleling the unexpected disappearance of the crew of the schooner Marie Celeste several years ago, has been reported here by the British tank steamer Roumanian. On Jan. 19, churning along ten days out from Port Arthur and near the Azores it picked up the Norwegian bark Remittent, seaworthy, provisioned and fully rigged, but without a soul aboard and no indication of the crew's fate.

The Roumanian, after towing the Remittent to within 100 miles of Cape Henry, lost it in a violent gale.

The Marie Celeste was found at sea with a pot boiling in its galley and its captain's papers on the cabin table, and every indication that its crew had been aboard within a few hours of its discovery. But nothing ever was heard of skipper or crew.

The story of the Remittent is scarcely less strange.

The Roumanian sighted the Remittent in latitude 40 degress 30 minutes and longitude 27 degrees 30 minutes, riding a heavy swell without a hand to guide it before a freshening breeze. The big tank steamer's lookout immediately reported it as a ship out of control and Captain Claridge set out in pursuit.

Erratic Craft Boarded.

While the Roumanian was coming up on it the Remittent, with tiller banging to and fro, was running wild, first to one point of the compass and then to another. The Roumanian lowered boats to take a line to the bark. After more than an hour's jockeying, a boat finally caught and boarded it.

Its deck planks, once swabbed and holystoned to a glistening white, bore the marks of many feet, but there was nothing to explain the disappearance of its master and crew.

In its cabin, some odds and ends rolled and clinked in the corners, but the lockers and drawers were undisturbed and its charts and papers were quite secure. In its water tanks there was a full supply of fresh water, and its stores of salt horse and biscuits were not depleted. Its life boats swung at the davits.

The Remittent was commanded by Captain Torgersen and sailed from Rio Grande do Sul, Oct. 25, for Liverpool. It carried, in addition to its master, a crew of five or six.

BLOOD ON BEACH'S KNIFE

Testimony on Point in Famous Assault Case Conflicts.

Aiken, S. C., Feb. 6.—The prosecution in the trial of Frederick O. Beach of New York, accused of attacking his wife with "murderous intent," rested.

Dr. Partridge of Augusta was the first witness called by the defense. Beach's diamond studded knife was shown to him and he identified it as one which was submitted to him last March to be tested for the presence of blood. Dr. Partridge said his examination showed no trace of blood.

Mayor Herbert E. Gyles of Aiken, testifying for the state, said Beach gave the knife to him on request about three weeks after the assault, and later he turned it over to Dr. D. Hastings Wyman, Jr., for microscopic examination.

Dr. Wyman testified that he had discovered on the knife what he believed to be blood stains. This view was sustained, he said, by Dr. Boyden Mims of Columbia, to whom he submitted the knife.

A. K. Lorense, editor of a local paper, testified he examined the Beach premises the night of the assault and found evidences of a struggle in the side yard. He said he was with the chief of police when the latter found the earrings and comb belonging to Mrs. Beach, and the blood stained fence picket. He said one of the earrings was mashed. He expressed the opinion they were paste and worth only about $2.

Southern Bankers Loan to Farmers

Washington, Feb. 6.—Charges that national banks throughout the south openly violate the national banking law by loaning money on real estate mortgages were made by Sol Wexler, a New Orleans banker, before the house currency reform committee. He told the committee the national banking law should be amended to legalize loans on real estate securities and said he knew of banks in Louisiana, Mississippi and Alabama loaning their funds on real estate, to accommodate farmers.

King Alfonso Will Not Visit America.

Madrid, Feb. 6.—King Alfonso of Spain will not visit America, according to an official statement. Referring to reports as to such an intention on the part of his majesty, the lord chamberlain said: "The king has displayed the greatest personal interest in the United States and would have been glad to have paid a visit there if it had been possible."

To Cure Cold in One Day

Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.—Adv.

A marriage license was issued Wednesday evening to Joseph E. Cooper and Mary Hargin of Conway, Ia.

Miss Bertha Chappell ... ering Thursday to vis... Will Harbison.

ROBERT L. HENRY.

Texas Congressman Who Is Reported Favored by Wilson For His Cabinet.

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Congressman Henry is one of the latest to be reported favored for United States attorney general. According to rumor, he has received an intimation that he may be formally tendered the post.

ASK PRESIDENT TO INTERVENE

Buttermakers of Dairy States Call Moisture Ruling Unjust.

Washington, Feb. 6.—Representing the views of part of the members of the delegations from Iowa, South Dakota, North Dakota, Minnesota and Wisconsin. Representatives Volstead and Hammond of Minnesota called on the president to secure his interpretation in the controversy over the ruling of Internal Revenue Commissioner Cabel inflicting alleged unjust penalties on dealers handling butter containing more than 16 per cent moisture. It is charged that the ruling in question has been declared void by a decision of the circuit court of appeals in Minnesota, and the president was asked to have the matter reviewed in the supreme court, or if the supreme court does not have jurisdiction in the premises that the attorney general render an opinion giving his interpretation of the law.

The request for executive intervention was signed not only by members of the Iowa delegation, but by the delegations in congress from North Dakota, South Dakota, Minnesota and most of the members from Wisconsin.

HOPPE STILL CUE CHAMPION

Defeats Sutton at Balk Line, Five Hundred to Three Hundred.

New York, Feb. 6.—Willie Hoppe, 18.2 balk line billiard champion, successfully defended his title, defeating George Sutton of Chicago, 500 to 301.

Hoppe made only 14 in his first three innings, but then settled and rolled off some beautiful billiards. In his fourth turn at the table he netted 117 points.

At the end of ten innings the score stood 265 to 180 in Hoppe's favor, after Sutton had just made his high run of 99, which ended with a miss of a short draw. From this point to the end of the game Hoppe played brilliant billiards, while Sutton's best effort was 39 in his sixteenth inning.

Tillman Objects to Smoking in Senate.

Washington, Feb. 6.—If Senator Tillman of South Carolina can have his way there will be no smoking in the executive sessions of the senate. He is very sensitive to the odor of tobacco and made an effort at the executive session to have smoking prohibited, but as the question is not covered by the rules, he failed. He then gave notice that he soon would introduce a resolution prohibiting smoking in the senate chamber at all times.

Highwayman Got His Overcoat.

Chicago, Feb. 6.—"That seems to be a nice, warm overcoat you are wearing, old top," observed one of the highwaymen who held up and robbed J. H. Hamilton of Billings, Mont., as he descended from an elevated train in the downtown district. "Be a good sport and take it off. Can't you see I'm shivering?" With a big revolver poked against his ribs Hamilton decided to give up the coat. The robbers also took $150 from the Montanan. He was given a breakfast at a nearby police station.

Sherman Memorial Service.

Washington, Feb. 6.—President Taft, ten senators and Speaker Clark will speak at the memorial services in the senate, Feb. 15, for the late Vice President James S. Sherman.

Bartholdt Accepts Peace Presidency.

St. Louis, Feb. 6.—Congressman Richard Bartholdt of St. Louis accepted the presidency of the fourth annual peace congress, which is to be held here May 1-3.

The Irony of Fate.

At night he kept his windows up.
To let the fresh air in
And breathed full twenty times before
The day's work would begin.
He sprinkled antiseptics 'round
And boiled the water, too;
And analyzed the milk and cream
Whenever it was blue.
He chewed his food a hundred times,
The plainest fare he ate;
... somehow ... he poor man died
... night.
...Philadelphia Record.

TURK CABINET IN A QUANDARY

Sees War Is Hopeless and Seeks to Save Its Face.

ADRIANOPLE MUST BE GIVEN UP

Attempt Made to Sell Crown Jewels to French Company—Bulgarians Want Gallipoli—Appear Successful in First Operations Before Capital.

London, Feb. 6.—The Daily Telegram publishes a long uncensored dispatch from its correspondent, Ellis Ashmead Bartlett, at Constantinople, in which he says the Turkish people are in such a state of misery and destitution as a result of the war that they are completely indifferent as to the fate of Adrianople.

"The cabinet is in a quandary," says the correspondent. "It knows that it will be compelled to cede Adrianople and is only seeking some means to save its face. It is said that the coup d'etat only was intended to occur after Kiamil Pasha surrendered Adrianople, but was precipitated by some mistake. Hence the difficulty the ministry now is in.

"There is not a cent in the treasury and there are no means of getting money until peace is concluded. Meanwhile, the country is drifting to ruin and bankruptcy.

"A great anti-war demonstration occurred in front of the war office, at which the Young Turks were publicly denounced as murderers and thieves. Mahmoud Schefket Pasha appeared on the balcony and tried to make a speech, but was greeted with opprobrious epithets."

Bulgarians Successful.

The Bulgarians are devoting their chief attention to the bombardment of Adrianople and an attempt to capture the Gallipoli peninsula and to take the Turkish forts in the rear.

An official dispatch issued at Constantinople indicates that the Bulgarians have been successful in their operations in the latter quarter, and according to a Sofia dispatch the capture of Gallipoli is the chief object of the Bulgarians for the time being and no serious attempt will be made to force the Tchataija lines.

LIBERIANS ROUT REBELS

Major Ballard's Army Inflicts Crushing Defeat on Kroos.

Monrovia, Liberia, Feb. 6.—A crushing defeat, with heavy slaughter, was inflicted on the Kroo natives of Liberia by Major Ballard, one of the American officers lent some time ago to the Liberian government.

Dispatches brought by runner say that Major Ballard with a force of Liberian troops razed the Kroo stronghold at Rock Cass after a severe fight.

Major Ballard's force lost eight killed and fifteen wounded.

The recalcitrant Kroos were responsible for the recent arrival of the German gunboats Panther and Eber off the Liberian coast, the German residents in Liberia having represented to the German government that their lives and interests were in danger.

WALSH CONFESSES GRAFT

New York Police Captain Makes Statement to Prosecutor.

New York, Feb. 6.—Police Captain Thomas W. Walsh, accused by Patrolman Eugene Fox as the man to whom he paid his graft collections for five years, was sent for by District Attorney Whitman, and according to a statement by the district attorney confessed to his part in the alleged police graft and implicated two men "higher up" in the police department. He declared that every cent collected by Fox had been shared by him with an inspector after 10 per cent had been taken out by Fox as his share of the fund.

Walsh could not recall offhand the amount paid by him each year to the inspector, but he thought it would reach between $25,000 and $50,000.

Girl Striker Killed.

Rochester, N. Y., Feb. 6.—The first shedding of blood in connection with the strike of the garment workers occurred here when Valentine Sauter, proprietor of a clothing shop, fired one shell from a shot gun into a crowd of strikers. One girl striker, Ida Braenan, was killed by the shot and two other women and a man were wounded.

Prince Hassan Escaped Execution.

Alexandria, Egypt, Feb. 6.—Prince Aziz Hassan, cousin of the khedive of Egypt, who was supposed to have been court-martialed and executed at Constantinople for fleeing at the battle of Kirk-Killisseh, arrived here by a French steamer. He boarded the vessel at one of the ports of Asia Minor.

Castro Will Lunch With Sulzer.

New York, Feb. 6.—Cipriano Castro, ex-president of Venezuela, accepted an invitation to take luncheon with Governor Sulzer at Albany today. He will return to New York tomorrow, when argument comes up on his writ of habeas corpus.

Four Methods of Suicide Ineffective.

Albany, Ga., Feb. 6.—After taking a drug and powdered glass, slashing his wrist with a razor and shooting himself below the heart in an attempt at suicide, Gordon Flourney, secretary treasurer of the Albany cotton mills, still lives.

C. H. Wilson of near Parnell was a city visitor Thursday.

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FEEL BULLY? TAKE CASCARETS TONIGHT

A 10 Cent Box Will Keep Your Liver, Stomach and Bowels Clean, Pure and Fresh For Months.

Sick headache, biliousness, dizziness, coated tongue, foul taste and foul breath—always trace them to torpid liver, delayed fermenting food in the bowels or sour, gassy stomach.

Poisonous matter clogged in the intestines, instead of being cast out of the system is re-absorbed into the blood. When this poison reaches the delicate brain tissue it causes congestion and that dull, throbbing, sickening headache.

Salts, cathartic pills, oil and purgative waters force a passageway for a day or two—yes—but they dont take the poisons out and have no effect upon the liver or stomach.

Cascarets immediately cleanse and regulate the stomach, remove the sour, undigested and fermenting food and foul gases, take the excess bile from the liver and carry out of the system all the constipated waste matter and poisons in the bowels.

A Cascaret tonight will surely straighten you out by morning. They work while you sleep—a 10-cent box from your druggist means your head clear, stomach sweet and your liver and bowels clean and regular for months.—Advertisement.

Lieutenant Homer Mason and his wife, Lieutenant Mary Mason, and Samuel Mason of the Salvation army post at St. Joseph were Maryville visitors Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry McAuliffe, Lamar, Col., announce the birth of a daughter Thursday, January 30. Mrs. McAuliffe was formerly Miss Hazel Cunningham of Maryville.

MRS. LARAMORE TELLS TROUBLES

Lady in Goodwater Describes Her Distressing Experience and Tells How She Was Finally Relieved.

Goodwater, Mo.—"Ever since I was a little girl," says Mrs. Riley Laramore, "I was a great sufferer from dyspepsia.

I suffered misery after eating, and had terrible heartburn.

I thought I had to suffer this way as long as I lived, but when I began to take Thedford's Black-Draught, in small doses, every night, the heartburn was all gone in a few days, and I could eat without distress.

I took two small packages in all, and although that was some time ago, the dyspepsia has not returned.

I speak a good word for Thedford's Black-Draught whenever I have the opportunity."

If eating causes distress, we urge you to try Thedford's Black-Draught. It cleanses the system, helps the stomach to digest its food, regulates the bowels, and stimulates the liver.

It acts gently and is without bad aftereffects. Try it. Price 25c.

Flowers for Everybody

Everywhere, sent safely and promptly by parcel post. On all orders for our Fresh Cut Flowers of 75c and over received during balance of this week up till noon Saturday, Feb. 8th, we will pay forwarding charges via parcel post within fifty miles of Maryville, and on all orders of $1.00 and over, within 150 miles of Maryville. We pack all shipping orders carefully with our special cut flower address labels, your card, etc., and deliver promptly to postoffice or express offices.

The Engelmann Greenhouses

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Hanamo 17 1-8, Bell 126.

Poultry Cards

One inch cards in this column for $1.50 per month. No card taken for less than one month at this rate.

KELLERSTRASS CRYSTAL White Orpington and prize winning S. C. Buff Orpington Eggs for hatching. White Orpington cockerels for sale. F. W. Olney, Bell phone 277.

WHITE ORPINGTONS, Kellerstrass strain. Now booking orders for eggs, $2 and $3 per setting. Get your orders in early. G. B. Holmes. Will sell one pen if taken at once.

R. C. R. I. REDS at $1.00 for 15 Eggs. Will deliver eggs when wanted. Mrs. J. H. Hanna, Pickering, Mo.

WANTS

Advertisements are inserted in this column at the rate of three lines (18 words) three days for 25 cents. For ads larger than three lines one cent extra will be charged for each word in excess of 18. Cash must accompany orders for these small amounts.

"For Sale," "For Rent" and "Room for Rent" cards at this office, only 5 cents each.

FOR SALE—One second-hand pool table, 4½x9, for $35, by the Elks club, Maryville. 4-10

WANTED—Some young calves. Also have Barred Rock eggs for sale for few weeks at $4.00 per 100. Farmer phone 5-15. Albert S. Watson. 5

LOST—White silk poodle dog, thought to be mad. Return it to Harry Burman home on East Third street to D. T. Littler. 5-7

FOR SALE—Good Frazier road cart and set of double buggy harness. Will sell cheap. M. C. Thompson, Farmer phone 3-11. 4-6

FOR SALE—An 8-room house and lot. A 5-room house, one or two lots. One vacant lot. Call Hanamo 259 Blue. 14-tf

FOR RENT—4-room house on East Sixth street; good well, outbuildings, on paved street. Enquire of Mrs. John Snapp, 408 East Seventh street. 6-

The party borrowing a suit case at Burlington depot within the last ten days please return it and contents to this office at once and oblige. 6

FOR SALE—Mammoth black jack, 5 years old, sired by Major Domo 474, Quiet Glenn. Omer O. Davis, route 2, Bolckow, Mo. 21-2

FOR SALE—White Pekin ducks, White Orpington cockerels, Black Langshan cockerels and Cornish Indian game pullets. J. A. Speirs, Clarinda Poultry House. 5-

WE ARE PREPARED to take roomers and boarders at the new place we have taken and named The Minnehaha, corner Buchanan and West Fourth streets, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Belcher. 28-10

FOR SALE—Finest residence lot in Maryville, northwest corner First and Dunn streets. All improvements in. Worth $2,000. Best cash offer gets it. Positively no trade considered. Address J. DeVoe, 4144 Charlotte street, Kansas City, Mo. 3-10

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5-room dwelling at southwest corner Fourth and Buchanan streets.

6-room dwelling at northwest corner Fillmore and Torrance streets.

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Also two 80-acre improved farms TO EXCHANGE for Maryville residence property.

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